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HEAVY SNOW IN OKLAHOMA.

Weight of It Snaps Wires, But Mantle Will Benefit Wheat.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OKLAHOMA CITY (Okla.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The heaviest fall of snow in the past ten years throughout Oklahoma began early this morning and continued tonight. Telephone and telegraph wires are down because of the heavy damp snow. The snow, however, will greatly benefit winter wheat.

Shawnee, Okla., reports the fall of snow there today the heaviest in a quarter of a century. Two inches had fallen in Southwest Missouri early tonight and indications are that before morning a deep white mantle will cover the entire Ozark Mountain country. The snow came from the Southwest and will do Southern Missouri's winter crop much good.

directed to figure the prospective increase down to the last dollar. When the President acts it will be with full knowledge of the consequences, economic as well as political, the latter not requiring any great amount of research to determine.

It was generally understood when the Sulloway bill was under consideration in the preceding Congress that President Taft intended to veto it if it was passed. Supporters of the Sherwood bill have hinted at assurances that their measure would be likely to obtain Executive approval, but since the bill passed the House, it has developed that the President may not be so acquiescent to additional millions of annual pension outlay as suggested.

NO AUTHORITATIVE.

No authoritative word has come

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Free.

SHOW GIRLS [redacted] ACQUITTED

Original Trial Has Dramatic End.

Women Charged With Shooting New York Millionaire Are Liberated.

One Who Passed Through Trial With Composure Gets Hysterical.

"Tell Mother We are Coming Home," Shrieks One, on Hearing Verdict.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—A verdict of "not guilty" was returned late today, freeing Lillian Graham and Ethel Conrad of criminal charges on which they had been held since last June for shooting the millionaire sportsman and hotel proprietor, W. E. Dodge Stokes. The jury reached its verdict in slightly less than one hour.

"The shooting show girls" were tried on an indictment of three counts, the first charging an attempt to murder Stokes. Of consideration of this count, however, the jurors were relieved by Justice Marcus at the request of the District Attorney. The court restricted the jury to the second and third counts, which charged, respectively, assault in the third degree, with intent to kill, and assault in the second degree, with intent to do bodily injury.

When summoned to hear the verdict, Miss Graham appeared unstrung, and was assisted into the courtroom, trembling. The more spirited Miss Conrad came unassisted, but nervous.

GOES INTO HYSTERICS.

When the girls faced the foreman he announced the words "Not guilty." Miss Conrad cried "Thank God!" and went into violent hysterics. She sank to the counsel table, then jumped up again, shrieking and tearing her hair and throwing her arms about wildly. It was a surprise to the spectators, for Miss Conrad had kept much the better nerve of the two defendants throughout the trial.

On the other hand, Miss Graham, who continually wept during the trial and sobbed the more when she heard the verdict, recovered herself when she saw her companion so affected, and acted as the comforter to her younger friend.

It was at first thought that Miss Conrad had misunderstood the verdict and her companion tried to assure her that they were free.

"Oh, I know!" she said. "Tell mother we are free. Tell her we are coming home." The girl's hysteria continued ten minutes.

The jury arrived at its verdict after four ballots. On three of them the jury voted each time eleven to one for acquittal, the one man dissenting being in favor of a conviction of second degree assault.

The arguments which Assistant District Attorney Buckner made against the girls were dramatic. He flourished the revolver with which the girls had shot Stokes, and punctuated his recital of the shooting by frequent snaps of the trigger.

He referred to the contention of counsel for the defense that Mr. Stokes could not be punished and that the girls had been punished. He said:

DRAMATIC ARGUMENT.

"Perhaps it is no punishment for a man with a six months' bride and a 14-year-old son to have such things hawked about them in every village and hamlet as have been published in this case. And how have these girls been punished? While Stokes was nursing his wounds they hung his bloody trousers outside of a theater and asked the public to deposit its money in the box office."

Favorable word as to Mr. Stokes's condition was given out late today. The attending physician said his patient was well on the road to recovery.

"Mr. Stokes is ignorant of the acquittal of Lillian Graham and Ethel Conrad," said Josiah Thornly, "and did not even know that the case had gone to the jury. I don't care to jeopardize the chances of my patient's recovery by discussing the case with him or allowing any one else to do so."

SCORE ALASKA REPORT.

Republican Members Flay Majority of House Committee Over Ending of Controller Bay Matter.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The sudden ending of the inquiry into the charges that the government had allowed a monopoly of the coal harbor in Controller Bay, Alaska, was roundly scored in the Republican minority report of the House Committee on Interior Department expenditures filed today. The Republicans said that common decency, if not justice, would have demanded the investigation to expose those responsible for the fabrication of the so-called "Dick to Dick" letter, alleged to have been written by Secretary of the Interior Ballinger to Richard S. Ryan, the latter supposedly representing the Guggenheim interests.

The minority report said this expose should have been permitted, even if the Democratic majority was unwilling, for partisan reasons, "to exonerate the Interior and other high officials of the unjust, cruel charge."

"And so the whole fabric of fabrication, suspicion and downright falsehood on which the investigation was based, falls to the ground," says the minority report.

"The action of the majority of the committee," the report sai[illegible] have but one effect, that of shielding the perpetrator of the libel and throwing protection around whoever malice inspired the cowardly attack on the President."

Figures in Imposing Ceremonies in India.

King George of England,

In uniform of the Eighteenth, King George's Own India[illegible]ncers. A false report that the King had been assassinated excited London yesterday.

Impressive.

KING AND QUEEN LAY THE FIRST STONE OF CAPITAL.

Brilliant Assemblage of Ruling Princes and High Officials Witness Ceremony Which Means Transfer of Seat of Authority to Delhi—False Report of Assassination Creates Great Excitement in Streets of London.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DELHI, Dec. 15.—The King-Emperor and Queen-Empress today laid the first stone of the new capital of India, which, as was proclaimed after the Durbar, is to be Delhi.

There was a brilliant assemblage of ruling princes, governors and state officials. The foundation stone simply bore the date 15-12-11.

Their majesties both are enjoying splendid health in spite of the great fatigue they have undergone during the lengthy ceremonies.

ASSASSINATION RUMOR FALSE, EXCITES LONDON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 15.—A rumor that King George had been assassinated in the royal camp at Delhi was circulated broadcast in London this morning ad created tremendous excitement on the streets. Officials insisted that the rumor was without foundation and declared it probably arose through sensational reports of a slight fire last night in a tent adjoining that of the King.

As far as it is possible to ascertain the totally unfounded rumor of the assassination of King George at Delhi was started by a local telegram sent to a newspaper office last night inquiring if there was any truth in a report that the sender had heard of the assassination of the King. The contents of the telegram spread among the employees at the postoffice and eventually became known throughout the city.

The rumor that King George had been assassinated spread like wildfire throughout London. Nobody knew where it originated but it created immense excitement.

This was only allayed when a dispatch from Delhi, timed 11:45, midday, was received announcing the carrying out of the royal programme and not mentioning any untoward incident.

The reports of fires in the Delhi Durbar camp had been so greatly exaggerated and the disaffection among a small section of the Indian natives had been brought so prominetly to public notice in the newspapers recently that Britons were prepared for almost anything during the stay of the King.

Trumpeter.

SIXTH SOLDIER ARRESTED IN THE FORT RILEY CASE.

Confession of a Private Gives the Authorities a Clue to the Authors of Dynamite Conspiracy—Invesigator Exonerates Ex-Chaplain and Woman—Mrs. Jordan Will be Arrested Again Federal Commissioner Says.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JUNCTION CITY (Kan.) Dec. 15.—Trumpeter John Crile of Battery E. Sixth Field Artillery, was arrested late today in connection with the dynamiting explosions and fires in Ft. Riley, which cost the government $1,000,000.

Crile is the sixth soldier placed under arrest since the investigation of the explosions became public after Private Michael Quirk's confession that he caused the explosions at the instigation of the Rev. Charles M. Brewer, ex-chaplain at the fort.

The arrest of Crile and the release of Mrs. Anne Jordan in Kansas City before Deputy United States Marshal Meed arrived for her, were the developments in the case today. Commissioner Chase said he would have a warrant issued at once for Mrs. Jordan's arrest and would have it served through the United States Marshal's office in Kansas City.

STATE OF TERROR.

The few army officers who could be induced to talk privately of the explosions declared today that Ft. Riley for nine months had been as near a state of terror as a well-disciplined army post can be. Not only were there numerous incendiary fires, but the commanding officers of the post received frequent letters threatening them with death and the fort with destruction.

Night and day since early last spring Ft. Riley has been under more than double guard, sentries have been posted constantly at the homes of the commissioned officers and guards have spent each night in the cellars of those homes in order to frustrate threats of the destruction of the houses by dynamite.

Three officers have been receiving threatening letters since last March, following the first incendiary fires at the fort. The recipients of the letters were Brig.-Gen. W. S. Schuyler, Col. Charles A. P. Hatfield and Col. E. D. Hoyle. The letters were written in a scrawl and appeared to have been penned by different persons.

SERIOUS THREATS.

Details of the nature of the threats have not been made public, but it is known that they were serious. At first little attention was paid to the missives, but they came with such frequency and regularity that the guard around the entire government reservation was increased and special attention given to guarding the quarters of the threatened men. Orders were issued to shoot any stranger seen prowling around the grounds. A sergeant was shot in the hand by mistake one night, and mysterious persons were fired upon several times without result.

Rumor had it today that practically all the members of one battery are believed to be involved in the plot which is said to have had for its purpose the destruction of the entire fort. The four members of Battery E, now under arrest, are kept in close confinement and no one is permitted to talk with them

CORROBORATIVE EVIDENCE.

It is said the government has obtained corroborative evidence tending to prove that the Rev. Charles M. Brewer and Mrs. Anna Jordan who are under arrest, were here at the time some of the explosions and fires took place.

Both prisoners deny they were in this vicinity at any of those times.

An ex-soldier, whose name is closely guarded, has written to Lieut.-Col. Hoyle, commander of the Sixth Field Artillery, from New York, where he is living, that he is in possession of the facts regarding the destruction of the engineers' bridge. Reference to army records shows he was in Fort Riley at the time and has since been discharged from the service. Col. Hoyle has asked the former soldier to supply him with details.

Friends of Brewer and Mrs. Jordan are declaring that the minister and Mrs. Jordan are the innocent victims

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Compulsory.

NATIONAL INSURANCE BILL AWAITS KING'S SIGNATURE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The House of Lords passed the National Insurance bill, providing for compulsory insurance against sickness and unemployment of the working classes, through its third and final reading today.

The bill is now practically completed, only requiring to pass through the formality of receiving the King's assent.

The National Insurance bill for workers, which was finally adopted by the House of Lords today, was presented to Parliament for action by David Lloyd-George, Chancellor of the Exchequer. It is an adjunct to the already existing law providing old age pensions.

Through the operation of this enactment, it is calculated, about 9,200,000 men and 3,900,000 women will be compelled to insure. Small deductions will be made weekly from their wages and their employers will be compelled to contribute a similar amount, to which the State adds a further contribution, these three items forming the premium. The deductions from wages and the employers' contribution will be graduated according to the insured person's earnings.

The benefits derived under the scheme will be medical relief and a small sum for maintenance during illness, a life pension if permanently infirm, and also an allowance in case of unemployment, except when the idleness is a result of strike.

FEELS LIKE A BUGLER.

Convicted Leader of the Holy Ghosters Appoints Man to Continue Work During His Imprisonment.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DURHAM (Me.) Dec. 15.—Plans for the continuation of the work of the Holy Ghost and Us Society of Shiloh, after its leader, the Rev. Frank W. Sandford, is sentenced next Monday for causing the deaths of six persons on the yacht Coronet, were announced by Sandford today.

He said that the Rev. Charles E. Holland, one of his lieutenants, would be in charge of the sect.

"I have been commissioned by God," Sandford said, "to play this part in the evangelization of the world. God has told me to do these things, and He will back me up. The world will say that I have lost, but there will be another court, and I will be the chief witness.

"Personally, I feel like a bugler sounding the charge, rather than a disgraced man going down."

SIXTY CHINESE ARRESTED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Several policemen and a number of Chinese were injured, none seriously, last night, in a gambling den raid in the Chinese quarter. The Chinatown squad battered in doors and after a hand-to-hand fight in a darkened gambling den and a spirited chase over the roofs of adjoining buildings, landed sixty Chinese in jail. Chairs, tables, clubs and revolvers were used in the battle between the police and the gamblers.

Extra Session.

PROPHECIES FULFILLED.

Split Takes Place in Legislature.

Senate Passes City and Assembly Country Measure on Reapportionment.

One of Houses Must Surrender Or Go Into Free Conference.

Utilities Bill Comes Up in Senate Today on Its Final Passage.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—Two reapportionment measures were put on the main track, with a possible collision ahead, by the legislative crew today; the so-called Glavis-Pardee conservation bill was sent back to the roundhouse for repairs; the public utilities bill was pulled safely through the Wright amendment block, and the free-text-book resolution was again dagged by the Curtin amendment. There is a clear track ahead for the public utilities bill tomorrow.

The passage of the so-called country bill by the Assembly and the city bill by the Senate fulfills the prophecy of a divided Legislature and necessitates either the capitulation of one of the two bodies or an appeal to the arbiter of last resort in legislative conflicts—a free conference committee. That such a committee eventually would reconcile the warring city and country factions, and evolve a compromise plan, was the prophecy of Assemblyman C. C. Young of Berkeley, in his speech urging the passage of the Assembly bill.

SPLIT BETWEEN HOUSES.

The split between the two houses was found unexpectedly large. The Assembly passed the Committee Compromise Bill, giving the three city counties seventeen Senators and thirty-four Assemblymen, by a vote of 45 to 43.

The Senate passed the Thompson city bill giving the same counties a total representation of nineteen Senators and thirty-eight Assemblymen, by a vote of 32 to 4.

The Assembly measure, drafted by a sub-committee of the Reapportionment Committee, gives San Francisco 6 Senators and 12 Assemblymen; Los Angeles, 7 and 14; and Alameda 4 and 8. The Thompson bill allots 7 and 14 to San Francisco, 8 and 16 to Los Angeles and 4 and 8 to Alameda.

The Assembly bill encountered stiffer opposition than the Thompson measure, the San Francisco members, seconded by Cattell and Cogswell of the South, engaging the proponents of the bill in a running debate, enlivened by frequent tilts between members in accusations and denials of sectional prejudice. Ryan, Gerdes and MacDonald of San Francisco and March of Sacramento opposed the bill.

The four Senators who voted against the Thompson bill are Bills of Sacramento, Hare, Democrat, of San Francisco, Larkins of Visalia and Shanahan of Redding. Hare, Larkins and Shanahan participated in the debate which was brief, Senator Thompson making a short speech in defense of his measure. The dissenting Senators based their opposition on the ground that the bill had been called up unexpectedly, and that they had believed that it would not be reached until Monday.

PUBLIC UTILITIES BILL.

The public utilities bill was not reached for third reading, on account of a debate on a proposed amendment by Senator Le Roy Wright of San Diego, which consumed practically the entire morning session and all of the afternoon session, which lasted until nearly nightfall. The Wright amendment was one of three, the Senator withdrawing the other two after the defeat, by a vote of 23 to 11, of the one upon which the day's debate hinged. It amended the section of the bill covering stock and bond issues in such a way as practically to absolve corporations from complete conformity to the rulings of the commission as to requirements not appearing on the face of a bond, when once it had received the requisite authorization of the commission for issue. The other amendments exempted stock and bond issues already authorized by corporations from the provisions of the act, and removed the application of the section allowing the commission to rescind its orders from stock and bond issues.

Senator A. Caminetti of Amador characterized the amendments as "the dying gasp of a giant which will no longer stride through these legislative halls," and lauded the bill as the most beneficent measure ever proposed in the State. Senator Lee C. Gates declared the amendment provided no legitimate recourse to the corporations not already allowed them in the bill, and that it might possibly result in vitiating the measure. Senators Juillard and Curtin defended the amendment. Senat[illegible]tetson and Burnett joined Gates a[illegible] Caminetti in the opposition. The following are the Senators who voted for the amendment:

Beban, Cassidy, Finn, Welch and

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Widespread.

SCAN DETAILS OF INTRIGUE.

McNamaras Not Alone in Dynamite Havoc.

Grand Jury Begins Inquiry at Indianapolis.

Former Clerks of McNamara Give Testimony.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Dec. 15.—Officials who are co-operating with United States District Attorney Miller in conducting the investigation of the dynamite conspiracy before the Federal grand jury learned from two sources today the details of explosions in which it is said others than the McNamaras were implicated.

W. E. Griffin, Chief of Police of Kansas City, Mo., who had knowledge of five explosions in Kansas City, was questioned about certain facts, which, it is said, had not heretofore been revealed. These explosions, all directed against structures erected by firms employing non-union men, occurred from 1908 to 1910. As not more than two of them were confessedly the work of Ortie E. McManigal, Chief Griffin's information was sifted to ascertain who else might have destroyed the property.

Much important testimony bearing on the records taken from the headquarters of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers was obtained from Miss Mary Dye.

Until several years ago, Miss Dye was confidential secretary of the Ironworkers' headquarters and as such had much to do with the correspondence of John J. McNamara, the secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Andrew J. Hull, former bookkeeper in the McNamaras' office, also visited the Federal building.

HOTEL CLERKS APPEAR.

Many hotel clerks from various parts of the country have been subpoenaed to tell what they know of the movements of McManigal while he was on his exploding expeditions. The hotel men are expected to corroborate McManigal's confession, wherein he described certain visits to towns with a suit case filled with dynamite or with nitroglycerine.

It was intimated that the Ironworkers' association officials were not opposing the government's efforts to expose all implicated in the dynamiting, the fact being pointed out that H. C. Hockin, acting secretary of the association, again conferred with United States District Attorney Miller. It was while Hockin was absent that several wagonloads of papers recently were taken from the headquarters. Hockin refused to say whether they were taken with his consent. About 30,000 papers are to be digested for the benefit of the grand jury.

Mrs. Hull and other clerks who worked under McNamara were questioned by the District Attorney. Their appearance indicated the intention of the government to begin the inquiry at a point from the inside that would disclose the identity of all those remotely or directly responsible for explosions.

Private detectives had advised the government authorities that some of the letters indicated that men in various States had written to McNamara, asking him what the cost of a "job" would be. McNamara would reply, according to this information, that the "fee" would be $200 and the expense $50, to be forwarded to him.

DYNAMITING CLEARINGHOUSE.

All through the confession of Ortie McManigal run statements setting out that he was paid after each "job" not in the city where the explosion occurred, but by a messenger from McNamara. To show that plans were laid for dynamiting by many others than McNamara and that he conducted a "clearinghouse" for them was the task set for the investigators.

An instance cited is that on March 27, 1909, the new Boston Grand Operahouse was damaged by an explosion. An employer of non-union ironworkers had a part of the contract. Four nights later a viaduct being built by an "open shop" iron concern at Hoboken, N. J., was blown up.

In McManigal's statement, submitted to the grand jury, he says a man, whose name is withheld by the authorities, instructed him to go to Boston and Hoboken and "do the jobs;" that he was successful and that the man paid him.

The persons alleged to have met McManigal on his tours, to point out the jobs to be done, will be exposed, according to the National Erectors' Association's officials, who have been active in gathering evidence.

A regular calendar of witnesses has been arranged so that no more than are needed on any one day will be brought to the Federal building on that day. From the number of witnesses summoned from various parts of the country it is believed the investigation here will not be concluded until the end of January.

Nora Haley,

Former stenographer of J. J. McNamara, who is figuring in Federal investigation at Indianapolis.

H. C. Hockin,

J. J. McNamara's successor, acting secretary of the International Bridge and Structural Ironworkers, who is a witness before the Federal grand jury in the dynamite conspiracy inquiry at Indianapolis.

HARRIMAN INTERVIEWS UNIONITES, SOCIALISTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Job Harriman, late of counsel for the McNamaras, left for Los Angeles this evening after a visit of two days in conference with union-labor and Socialist leaders.

"This trip has nothing whatever to do with the McNamara case, but is purely political," said Mr. Harriman.

Most of his time here was spent in the Socialist party headquarters. He called on Mayor McCarthy to pay his respects, he said, and also visited the headquarters of the State Building Trades' Council.

CLEVELAND GRAND JURY TO START AN INQUIRY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Dec. 15.—Dynamite explosions that have wrecked or otherwise damaged manufacturing plants in Northern Ohio, are to undergo grand jury investigation.

County Prosecutor John Cline, and Detective William J. Burns had a conference today, after which the county prosecutor announced the Cuyahoga grand jury in its January meeting would begin the investigation of the outrages. The authorities, Mr. Cline said, would have the assistance of Detective Burns.

Burns said today he purposed to claim the rewards that were offered by various persons or organizations for the arrest and conviction of those guilty of the Los Angeles Times Building explosion.

These, he said, amounted to $7500. Some of the offers were made by labor unions.

Burns left Cleveland tonight.

Burns made an address today before 100 members of the National Metal Trades' Association. Burns made another attack on Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, saying he would not cease his attacks until Gompers was thrown out of organized labor.

INHERITS VAST ESTATE.

Million Dollars of American Money Small Part of What Young Englishman is to Receive.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—A million American dollars will be sent to England next month and handed over to an English youth who became 21 years old on October 22. He is Archibald Sinclair, a subaltern of the life guards. The money comes from the estate of his mother, who was Mabel Sands, toasted in London a quarter of a century ago as "The Beautiful American."

The fund which will now go to young Sinclair amounted to only $500,000 when it was aside in care of an American trustee at the time of his mother's death twenty years ago. Careful handling has doubled the amount besides furnishing an annual allowance from $3000 to $5000 for the support of the boy.

Young Sinclair will succeed to a baronetcy and one of the most valuable estates in Scotland upon the death of his grandfather, Sir Tollemache, who is 87. More than 100 square miles are included in the estate Sir Tollemache is eccentric Though he owns vast wealth and a dozen castles and country seats, he occupies a bare suite of rooms off St. James street, London, and lives on herring and hominy.

OPERATE ON VANDERBILT.

Financier Will Go On Table for Appendicitis at His Fifth-Avenue Home This Morning.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cornelius Vanderbilt, one of America's foremost financiers and practical business men, is to undergo a dangerous operation tomorrow morning in his Fifth-avenue home. He is suffering from appendicitis.

That Mr. Vanderbilt has been ailing for more than two months became known outside the family circle today for the first time. It was further learned that the young millionaire's illness reached an acute stage within the last seventy-two hours. After a consultation between surgeons, it was decided that an immediate operation was necessary.

Unfathomed.

YOUNG HEIRESS STILL MISSING.

CHICAGO MAID LOST EN ROUTE TO RACINE.

Disappearing a Few Days Before Thanksgiving, Mother Has Received No Clew to the Whereabouts of Her Daughter—Witness Tells of Seeing Child With Two Men.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The mystery into which Violet Buehler, a 15-year-old girl, journeyed on the afternoon of November 25, remains a mystery tonight. No end has been found to the brief train trip which should have taken the child to the birthday party of her cousin in Racine. One after another, a half-dozen possible clews were destroyed. Only one remained.

The girl is joint heiress with her mother to an estate of $100,000, left them three years ago through the death of their father.

It was the report of Samuel J. Winegar, a retired minister, that, while waiting at the station in Kenosha on the day before Thanksgiving, he had seen a girl answering Violet's description apparently trying to escape from two men.

"She was not struggling," said Mr. Winegar, "but she seemed to be pleading with them to let her go. I thought nothing of it at the time, believing it was a quarrel between some spoiled child and her father. Both men were well along in life and both wore gray overcoats. I would know them if I saw them, but not the girl."

Thanksgiving postdated the girl's disappearance by five days. Mrs. Anna Buehler, the mother, spent today in Racine, aiding the police in the search. She went there in the afternoon to look at a watch which had been found near the entrance of the electric line station shortly after the date of Violet's disappearance. It was thought the girl might have lost it in a struggle, but Mrs. Buehler said it did not resemble the one her daughter carried.

KITTY BLANCHARD DEAD.

Favorite of the Old Union Square Theater in New York Expires at Her Ablutions.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Arthur McKee Rankin, the Kitty Blanchard of those who remember the old Union Square Theater, was found dead in the bathroom of her apartments in the Hotel Belle Clare last night. Dr. J. W. Gibbs, who lives in the hotel and who was called by Mr. Rankin, the actor-manager, said Mrs. Rankin's death was probably due to cerebral hemorrhages. She had been stricken while preparing to take a bath and had fallen into the tub, which was partly filled with water.

Mr. Rankin, who had been out of town, returned only a few hours before his wife's death.

She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Gladys, who is the wife of Sydney Drew, and Phyllis, who off the stage is Mrs. Harry Davenport.

LOCAL TRAVELERS.

Los Angeles and Southern California People Who Are Registered at Hotels in Other Cities.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at New York hotels: Elks' Club, J. D. Kelly; York, J. J. Hurley; Breslin, C. H. Hand; Belmont, Mrs. J. Callaghan, G. H. Powell. From Pasadena: Manhattan, C. D. Lockwood. From Santa Barbara: Grand Union, E. R. Ray. From San Diego: Astor House, A. M. Snyder.

In Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at Chicago hotels: Congress, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Grant, Miss Ruth Grant, E. C. Moore; La Salle, A. Britse"

Sovereign.

TWELVE JURORS WIN THEIR STRIKE.

DECLINE TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS OF JUDGE.

He Orders a Verdict for Defendant and They Bring in One for the Plaintiff and Finally Get Away With It, But a New Trial Is Going to Be Held.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 15.—The "striking jury" in Judge James E. Withrew's court triumphed today when it returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the McDermott will case, contrary to the instructions, delivered four days ago.

The court announced, however, that on the motion of either side, the verdict would be set aside.

A slight change in the judge's language in sending the jury back to deliberate today opened the way for a verdict.

"The judge has kept asking us if we had signed the verdict," said Foreman H. C. Hartmann. "He told us today to go back and deliberate until we reached a verdict. We did."

Mrs. Mary Farrington had sued the Rev. Father John White, executor of the estate of her mother, Bridget McDermott, charging that he had exercised undue influence over Mrs. McDermott.

The court held insufficient evidence had been introduced by the plaintiff and directed the jury to return a verdict for the defendant. This, the twelve men refused to do, saying they "would stand on their rights as American citizens."

The jury handed the following verdict to Judge Withrow:

"We, the jury, find for the plaintiff, for the reason that from the circumstantial evidence of witnesses, we believe there was undue influence exerted over Bridget McDermott prior to and at the time she executed the testament in question and that it was not her last will and testament."

The judge sent for law books and, with the foreman of the jury, looked at them and said:

"Gentlemen of the jury, although your verdict is in violation of this court, under the rulings of the Supreme Court, it becomes my duty to accept it. Upon motion of either party, the plaintiff or the defendant, the verdict will be set aside and a new trial ordered. The jury is discharged."

DENVER ASSESSOR OUSTED.

Lively Scrimmage Attends Change of Officials and Retiring Member Goes Out Under Police Force.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER, Dec. 15.—Harry J. Arnold, Assessor of the city of Denver, and who claims that under the consolidation of the city and county he should retain that position, was ejected from his office by a band of City Hall employees, policemen and detectives whom the Assessor declares were armed, at an early hour today. Hiram Hilts, a State Senator, aligned politically with Mayor Robert W. Speer, took possession as Assessor with the aid of the officers. Hilts at an adjourned session of the Board of Supervisors two hours earlier, had been confirmed by a vote of four to three.

The change of Assessors was attended by great disorders. Arnold was attending a meeting when he learned that the Supervisors were taking action summarily to oust him. Accompanied by two deputies he hurried to his office and locked and barricaded the doors. When Hilts and his supporters appeared they were denied admittance. An iron bar was produced and a plate glass window broken. Through this opening the police crawled, followed by the new Assessor.

After long argument, during which Arnold refused to leave, he was told that unless he gave up the office, he would be carried out.

The detectives took him by the arm and led him out of the building, his deputies being treated likewise. Then the new regime placed a guard at the door of the office and the crowd dispersed.

It is said that Arnold's refusal to spread on the books an additional tax levy of three mills precipitated the action of the Hilts faction.

VIOLATES CONSTITUTION.

Court of Criminal Appeals in Oklahoma Declares Liquor Law of State Transcends Federal Guarantee.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 15.—Citizens of Oklahoma City may keep more than a quart of whisky or other intoxicants in their places of business if they choose and they may sequester more than a gallon of it in their residences, according to an opinion handed down by the Court of Criminal Appeals today.

That portion of the Oklahoma liquor law which limits the amount of liquor citizens may have in their possession at one time was the issue. The court held that it violates the fourteenth amendment of the Federal Constitution, which provides that no State shall pass any measure which deprives any citizen of the United States of property without due process of law. The Oklahoma statute made the mere possession of more than the stipulated amount of liquor proof of guilt. This angle to the enactment is what moved the court to declare it unconstitutional.

Scores of illicit dealers have been driven from the State through the operation of the law.

GOVERNORS IN A SMASH.

Automobiles Collide While Western Executives Are Driven Over Indianapolis Speedway.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Dec. 15.—Automobile drivers, eager to show the western Governors the speed of their machines on the motor speedway, today, brought about a collision between two cars in which Gov. Edward L. Norris of Montana and Gov. James M. Carey of Wyoming were shaken up but not injured.

The Governors and their parties, on the arrival of their special train, were taken for a sight-seeing trip in automobiles and at the speedway the guests were driven over the brick course at forty miles an hour. The car in which were Governors Norris and Careyl skidded, its driver applied the brakes to prevent a possible upset, and stopped in the path of a machine carrying members of the Reception Committee. The automobiles were slightly damag-

PROPHECIES FULFILLED.

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Hare of San Francisco; Bills, Sacramento; Curtin, Sonora; Hurd, Los Angeles; Juillard, Santa Rosa; Wright, San Diego.

The public utilities bill will be brought up for final passage tomorrow.

CLARK SUBSTITUTE BEATEN.

The Assembly defeat of the conservation measure, which was intended as a substitute for the bill passed in the regular session, was a surprise to its opponents, and Assemblyman Clark of Berkeley, who introduced the bill, will move tomorrow to reconsider. The vote was 52 to 22, the opposition being led by Assemblymen Bishop, Griffiths, Hall and Poisley. Assemblyman Clark was the sole defender of the measure. The opponents of the bill declared that, in empowering the State Water Commission, which the act would create, to pass upon issuance of water rights, it would jeopardize vast irrigation projects and place the consumer in the attitude of defending his title instead of standing by only his vested rights. The roll call was as follows:

Ayes—Beckett, Benedict, Bennink, Bishop, Brown, Butler, Callaghan, Clark, Coghlan, Cogswell, Crosby, Cunningham, Denegri, Farwell, Feeley, Freeman, Gaylord, Gerdes, Griffiths, Guill, Hall, Hamilton, Hayes, Held, Hinkle, Hinshaw, Jones, Lamb, Lynch, Lyon (of Los Angeles) Maher, Malone, March, McGowen, Mendenhall, Mott, Mullally, Nolan, Poisley, Preisker, Rimlinger, Rosendale, Rutherford, Ryan, Sbragia, Schmitt, Slater, Stuckenbruck, Tibbits, Walsh, Williams, Mr. Speaker—fifty-two.

Noes—Bliss, Bennett, Cattell, Chandler, Cronin, Fitzgerald, Flint, Harlan, Jasper, Joel, Judson, Kehoe, McDonald, Randall, Rogers (of Alameda.) Smith, Stevenet, Sutherland, Telfer, Wilson, Wyllie, Young—twenty-two.

EDUCATOR CRITICISED.

The Senate Educational Committee indorsed the resolution introduced yesterday by Senator Boynton, condemning Prof. A. H. Adriah of Santa Barbara, for his alleged unpatriotic utterances in a teachers' meeting in Sacramento. It will be sent to the Senate tomorrow with a recommendation that it be adopted.

The free text-book resolution did not come to a vote on account of the failure to reach a decision on an amendment allowing the Legislature to provide means to reorganize the Board of Education, introduced by Senator Curtin yesterday. President Wallace will rule tomorrow on a point of order against the Curtin resolution, raised by Senator Wolfe yesterday.

The Assembly sub-committee of the Judiciary Committee, which heard the charges of Attorney A. G. Carpenter of Stockton against Appellate Court Judges Chipman, Burnett and Hart, will announce its findings Tuesday.

Senator Wolfe, who opposes free text-book legislation, contends that while the special call included free text-books, it did not authorize a reorganization of the board. Senators Caminetti and Curtin have urged such reorganization during several sessions of the Legislature and the latter refused to support the free text-book measure unless this provision were included. Senator Shanahan at first opposed reorganization, but agreed to accept the Curtin amendment as a compromise, fearing a division among the supporters of his resolution which might cause defeat.

Stormy.

JEWISH WOMEN PICK OFFICERS.

WRANGLE FOLLOWS WRANGLE IN THE COUNCIL.

Insurgent Minority Report Succeeds Only in Keeping Renomination of the President from Being Unanimous—Fight on Miss Americans Expenditures Waxes.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The election of officers of the council of Jewish women in the Hotel Walton, today was one of the stormiest meetings of the session and wrangle followed wrangle over the nominations and elections.

Miss Julia Seixold was named to oppose Miss American in the battle for the executive secretaryship. Throughout the entire four days which the society has spent in its triennial convention here the matter of election has been uppermost with the delegates.

Mrs. Henry B. Solomon of Chicago, who has been the leader of the insurgent delegates, was elected an honorary president of the organization, and Mrs. Huber Rosenberg of Pittsburgh, who at present is in Europe, was elected an honorary vice-president.

Among the regulars renominated to the directorate were Mrs. Sloss of San Francisco, who has taken a most active part in the sessions, and Mrs. Hertzberg of San Antonio. Mrs. D. S. Hirschberg was another California woman renominated to serve on the Nomination Committee, representing in the parlance of the council, "a sovereign" State, which means that California is represented in the national council.

Chicago, Baltimore and Washington are the three insurgent cities, and the charges brought by the councils of these cities are based on the alleged extravagance of Miss American. The minority, however, succeeded only in keeping the renomination of Mrs. Caesermisch, president; from being made unanimous.

RESOLVE TO RESTRICT OPIUM.

THE HAGUE, Decs. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The International Opium Conference today adopted a resolution submitted by the British delegates, restricting the import or export of morphine or cocaine in the countries represented in the conference. It was decided that all resolutions concerning morphine should be applicable to opium and similar drugs.

"BRINGING IN THE HOLLY," "Judge Hightower," "Dr. John, Specialist," "Pine Cone Harvesting," "A Twice-Told Tale," "Zinnias and Bride Roses," "High Boots and Fustian," and "A Big Bird Farm" will be the titles of some of the good reading offered in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday.

THERE will be plenty of good fiction in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments

ORPHEUM THEATER—BROADWAY, BETWEEN 6TH AND 7TH.
THE STANDARD OF VAUDEVILLE
"THE COURTIERS," B. A. Rolfe's Musical Act. TOM NAWN'S "The King." MOSHER, HAYES AND MOSHER. Three Alvarettas. FOUR Brenzet, Manny, Lee, Roberts. JOSIE HEATHERLY. Indienne. AUGUSTINE & HARTLEY, Barrel Jumpers. 24th Week of the League. Last Week THE FOUR FORDS, America's Premier Dancers. CONCERTS, 2 and 8. World's News in Motion Views.
Every night at 8, 10-25-50-75c; Boxes $1. Mat. Sat. & Sun. 10-25-50c.

LYCEUM THEATER—SPRING ST., NEAR 3RD. (Formerly Orpheum)
ALL WEEK—MATINEE SATURDAY.
HARRY CORSON CLARKE
Margaret Dale Owen and Co. in the Great Farcical Success, "HIS ABSENT BOY."
Nights, 15-25-50-75c; Boxes $1.
All next week, beginning Sunday Matinee, Dec. 17, BARGAIN MATINEE WEDNESDAY. ALL SEATS TWO AND A HALF. J. R. Stirling presents, for the fifteenth week, in the character-istic play full of laughs, "Sis Hopkins."
Rose Melville
"There ain't no use doin' nothin' for nobody when they don't do nothin' for you."
Every night, 15-25-50-75c; Boxes $1.

HAMBURGER'S MAJESTIC THEATER—BROADWAY AND 6TH.
MATINEE TODAY AND TONIGHT—LAST TIMES.
The Greatest English-Speaking Company
FORBES-ROBERTSON in Jerome K. Jerome's symbolic comedy, THE PASSING THIRD FLOOR BACK.
Prices: Nights and Matinee today, 50c to $2.
NEXT WEEK, COM. TOMORROW NIGHT—POP. MAT. WED.—JOHN CORT announces the intimate English comedy,
LAWRANCE D'ORSAY and a company of superior players in Augustus Thomas' comedy of a thousand laughs, "The Pawn."
Prices: Wed. Mat., 25c to $1. Nights and Saturday Mat., 50c to $2.
XMAS WEEK—Jules Eckert Goodman's intensely human play,

MOROSCO'S BURBANK THEATER—MAIN ST., NEAR 3RD.
LAST 2 TIMES TODAY OF "THE LITTLE GIRL."
NEXT WEEK—STARTING TOMORROW AFTERNOON,
FLORENCE STONE and the Burbank Stock Company will present the comedy of Clyde Fitch's rich, rare and racy comedy,
"The Blue Mouse"
Seats for this fine laughing success are now on sale.

BELASCO THEATER—MAT. TODAY, TOMORROW.
SECOND AND LAST CROWDED WEEK STARTS MONDAY.
ROBERT OBER and the Belasco Theater Company present Cutcheon's famous comedy,
"Brewster's Millions"
With Robert Ober in his original role of Monty Brewster. Don't believed Belasco favorite in the cast. Regular Belasco prices.
To Follow—James Montgomery's new comedy, "THE AVIATOR."

MASON OPERA HOUSE—Broadway, between First and Second.
LAST TIMES—MATINEE AND TONIGHT.
Montgomery & Stone
Prices, 50c to $2.
ALL NEXT WEEK—MATINEES WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY.
THE RED ROSE
With Zoe Barnett
Night Prices, 50c to $2. Wednesday Matinee, 25c to $1.
Xmas Week—Robert Hilliard in "A FOOL THERE WAS."

EMPRESS THEATER—SIXTH CENTRE STREETS.
Popular Matinee Every Day at 2:15.
3 Shows Tonight and Tomorrow
Commencing at 6:30, 7:45 and 9:00—Continuous
10-20-30—Always—10-20-30—Always

PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE—8 Vaudeville Top Acts
The Eminent Violinist
Raul Pereira
Court Violinist of Portugal
And His Famous String Sextette.
Pereira & Montgomery—Guy Woodward—Ralphy & Dacre—Orchestra.
Matinee Daily 2:30. 10c—20c—30c

PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE—
Daily Matinees 2:30
Tonight and Sunday Night
3 Complete Shows Starting 6:30
Pereira and Seven Big Acts

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—
MATINEE AND TONIGHT.
FERRIS HARTMAN and his superb company in
Wa
Tomorrow—The Bat and the Butterfly (Its Premiere)

KINEMACOLOR THEATER—
KINEMACOLOR
Motion Pictures in Natural Colors
Every Afternoon, 2 to 5. 10c and 20c—Loges 25c

ADOLPHUS THEATER—
10-20—10-20
Matinee: 2:30
Evening: 7 and 9
EVERY ACT A HEADLINER.
KURTIS' TRAINED ROOSTER
MARIE MARTELL
FOUR VAN STAATS
HANDY AND NORMAN (Pacific Coast Favorites)
ADOLPHUS COMEDY FILMS
ADOLPHUS OCTETTE
ADOLPHUSCOPE.

CAWSTON OSTRICH FARM—
A Cawston Ostrich Plume Is California's Best Souvenir
Don't Fail to See the
150 Gigantic Ostriches
Brood of young chicks. Aviary of rare birds. Beautiful semi-tropical grounds. Feather factory and dye works.
25c Round trip, including Admission. Take South Pasadena cars on Main street. Buy Excursion Tickets at
CAWSTON'S CITY STORE,
313 S. Broadway, Near Third.
Pasadena Store, 96 E. Colorado St.
This is the Farm that have had about 25 years Existence in 1886.

Openings on the Pacific Slope.

SUBSISTS ON HONEY DIET.

Placer County Farmer Gains Weight in Forty Days of Treatment.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

AUBURN (Cal.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Eighty ounces of honey and plenty of clear water have formed a diet on which A. Thommen, a well-known farmer living near this city, has lived for forty days past, and he will stick to this diet for some time to come, as he is gaining weight. He has suffered no inconvenience from his fast since the first few days and appears to be improved. He says he feels better and that he is increasing in weight. A few days ago he was in the city, and while at the store lifted a sack weighing 140 pounds and carried it to his wagon. Thommen during his fast has only partaken of water and two ounces of honey a day. He undertook his fast because of certain stomach troubles.

TWO USING SAME NAME.

Inquiry in Sacramento Said to Reveal Fact Two Aviators Call Themselves Bud Mars.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because at the same time arrangements were being made for Bud Mars to give an exhibition of aviation here other advertisements were appearing for a similar exhibition at Stockton by Bud Mars, an investigation was made today, resulting in the discovery that there are two men claiming to be Bud Mars. One is living in Sacramento and the other is coming from San Antonio to fly at Stockton. The local Bud Mars yesterday stated that there are two of him, no relation, and that they were together in the balloon business several years ago, calling themselves the Mars brothers. The local man is C. P., and the other is J. P. Mars. One started at aviation in Los Angeles under Curtiss and the other in Michigan under Baldwin. Both are internationals.

SHIPPING TREES SOUTH.

Thousands of Christmas Trees Leave Oregon Consigned to Points In Southern California.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fifteen thousand Oregon Christmas trees have been sent to Southern California cities within the past ten days. Most of them have gone to Los Angeles, but a few were destined for San Diego, Pomona, and Long Beach. The number shipped this year exceeds by 5000 the largest number sent in any previous year. They have been sent by rail freight, a car holding from 1500 to 1600 trees. The trees are laid down at the cars here for an average of 15 cents each. It is said they retail in Los Angeles for from 75 cents to $2.50 each. The trees are all of Oregon fir, which is often miscalled Oregon pine. Aurora, Marion county, has been the main shipping point for the trees this year.

WILL BE DEPUTY PRINTER.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] That R. L. Telfer, Assemblyman from San Jose, and editor of a newspaper there, will be named as Deputy Printer, was the announcement made today by State Printer F. W. Richardson. The appointment will be made as soon as the Legislature adjourns and Telfer will take charge immediately.

WESTFALL MUST RETURN.

Governor of Arizona Grants a Requisition to Return Him to Oklahoma Under the Banking Laws.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 15.—The postponed hearing of Frank S. and J. B. Westfall, the Oklahoma bankers, before Gov. Sloan on a requisition for their return to Sapulpa, Okla., to answer an indictment for alleged violation of the Oklahoma banking laws, resulted today in honoring the requisition as to Frank S. Westfall, and refusing it for J. B. Westfall. The latter is very ill here with lung trouble.

Counsel for the Westfalls declared at the hearing both of their clients were under bond to appear for trial in Oklahoma, and would appear when wanted, and that the requisitions were not necessary. They further declared to Gov. Sloan that this was not a case of prosecution, but one of political persecution.

The warrant for the extradition of Frank S. Westfall will be issued Monday.

Extradition papers for J. B. Westfall were issued about three weeks ago by Acting Gov. Young. Westfall was arrested and started for Oklahoma with Sheriff Murphy, but was halted at Prescott by habeas corpus proceedings, and returned to Phoenix. It was alleged his extradition was granted without a hearing, and his counsel after getting a writ, telegraphed Gov. Soan who was in Chicago attending the convention of the National Irrigation Association, asking if he would grant a hearing upon his return to Arizona. Sloan answered he would, and today he denied the request for J. B. Westfall's return to Sapulpa.

STOLE FOR HIS FAMILY.

Man at Grass Valley Confesses Larceny of Money When Confronted With Finger Prints.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GRASS VALLEY (Cal.) Dec. 15.—Confronted with overwhelming evidence of his guilt—finger prints left on the window of the drwroom at the Central mine here—J. E. Gardner confessed today to having robbed the clothes of fellow-employees of the mine of $260.

He took the money, Gardner said, to provide medicine for his sick wife and food for his children. The children have returned most of the money and Gardner may not be prosecuted.

Several men suspected of the robbery had been arrested. It had been virtually established that the thief was the man who had left finger marks on the window of the dryroom, from which the money was taken. A Bertillon expert was brought here to clear up the point, and he speedily showed that Gardner was the guilty man.

FORGETS HIS OWN NAME.

Applicant for Marriage License at Redwood City So Excited He Signs Names of Foster Parents.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REDWOOD CITY (Cal.) Dec. 15.—So flustered was Albert O. Rew when he went to take out a marriage license here today to wed Miss Maud Savage of San Francisco, that he momentarily forgot his own name and affixed the name of Albert O. White to the important document.

"Your name isn't White, Albert," exclaimed the startled bride-elect, as she glanced at the signature.

"That's right," admitted the embarrassed near-benedict as he made a hurried erasure. The clerk looked puzzled and Rew had to explain that he had been reared by foster parents named White, and during the excitement attendant upon the issuance of the license he had forgotten his real name.

MEET DEATH WITH SONG.

Japanese Naval Crew Go Down With Vessel Singing National Anthem and Cheering.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Dec. 15.—Going to death singing the national anthem and shouting bonzias for their Emperor, ninety-five of the crew of the Japanese torpedo boat destroyer Harusamo went down with the war vessel on November 24, according to advices brought tonight by the steamer Panama Maru.

Stories of the fifteen survivors, as officially communicated to the admiralty by the commander of the destroyer Isonami, are dramatic. The Harusamo, which was caught in a hurricane in the inland sea, started for Wakanoura in distress, the vessel swinging with force in a tremendous sea. She was unable to make the port of refuge. At 10 p.m. the mast was blown overboard and the commander sought to make Material Island. About midnight the light on Cape Angyo was sighted and the officers then located the position of their disabled vessel. The destroyer was unmanageable, however, and an hour later dashed on a reef.

The Harusamo slowly foundered. When the end was near the crew gathered at the bridge and continued singing the national anthem and shouting banzais until the seas swept them away.

NEW CONCERNS CHARTERED.

BIG CAPITAL IS AUTHORIZED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—Two corporations filed articles of incorporation in the office of Secretary of State Jordan today, the capital stock of which aggregates $35,000,000. Both are San Francisco concerns. The Northern Power and Water Company, incorporated by F. E. Boland, C. W. Willard, H. L. Atkinson, J. B. McKeon, T. A. Allen, J. F. Cassell, P. J. Fuller and A. C. Greene all of San Francisco, and S. J. Langmaid of Berkeley, is capitalized at $25,000,000. It is organized for fifty years and for the purpose of dealing in power and water. The other concern is the California-Oregon Power Company, capitalized at $10,000,000. It was incorporated by A. L. Whittle of Mill Valley, E. Schwab, San Francisco; E. Hohfeld, Alameda; J. F. Sherman, Oakland, and F. B. Lorigan, San Francisco. This company is incorporated for the purpose of dealing in power, power sites and water rights. It is also organized for fifty years.

COUNTY TAX DEFICITS.

REFUND BY THE STATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—Several counties of the State which lost revenue under the new system of taxation have had the loss refunded, Comptroller Nye having sent a total of $65,450 to make up the deficit. The counties and the amounts sent to them were: Imperial county, $10,527; Madera, $1239; Nevada, $2930; Placer, $18,152; San Bernardino, $26,493; Siskiyou, $2522; Yuba, $3586.

MRS. BURCHARD DIVORCE.

Wife of the Son of a Minister Who Defeated Blaine Receives the Interlocutory Decree.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Sarah Burchard, formerly a wealthy society woman of New York, today obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce from Louis Burchard, a wealthy New York attorney and son of the Rev. Mr. Burchard, whose speech in 1884 and since has been credited with aiding the defeat of James G. Blaine for President and promoting the election of Grover Cleveland.

Judge George H. Cabaniss in the Superior Court signed the decree after Mrs. Burchard had testified of the desertion on the part of her husband and his refusal to contribute to her support for several years.

Prior to coming to California, Mrs. Burchard occupied a high social position in New York and told the court her husband is wealthy. Their property rights, she said, had been settled privately and she desired no alimony.

The Rev. Mr. Burchard, father of the defendant, twenty-seven years ago was one of the most talked of men in the United States. James G. Blaine in 1884 was making the race for the Presidency against Cleveland. In the height of the campaign a committee of clergymen called upon Blaine in the interest of his candidacy. In the course of the addresses then made to the candidate, the Rev. Mr. Burchard said that the United States was going to ruin, and that "rum, Romanism and rebellion" were responsible for it. Blaine did not touch on the alliteration in his reply to Burchard's address and the anti-Blaine element made much of his silence. Blaine afterwards explained that he did not hear the alliterated words.

The Rev. Mr. Burchard finally retired from church work and died a few years ago.

STATEHOOD HOLIDAY.

Arizonans Wants Congress to Declare One to Commemorate the End of Territorial Government.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 15.—To commemorate the admission of Arizona into the Union, thereby completing the chain of commonwealths from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and marking the end of Territorial government in continental United States, by a national holiday, is the aim of Delegate to Congress Ralph Cameron.

Delegate Cameron will introduce his resolution in the House after the Christmas holidays, and Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee will introduce a similar resolution in the Senate.

THE FLEMING CASE.

BRIBE ATTEMPT ALLEGED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REDDING, Dec. 15.—The State began today the presentation of rebuttal evidence in the trial of Daniel Fleming, charged with the murder of George Vallier. City Marshal Seng declared on the stand that his recent appointment of additional deputies was due to information he had received that an attempt had been made by an attorney for the defense and two Southern Pacific Railroad detectives to bribe Frank Hooper, an important witness for the State. Marshal Seng asserted that W. W. Reese, one of his deputies, hid in a clothes bureau in Hooper's room, while two other men secreted themselves on an awning in front. These three men reported to him that they heard theattorney and railroad detectives offer a round-trip ticket to New York and a Southern Pacific job for life to Hooper if he would change his testimony. According to Marshal Seng, the negotiations were not concluded, but a subsequent meeting was arranged. On the date set the attorney and detectives did not appear. Interesting developments are expected as a result of this testmony.

RICE CULTURE.

ON ADOBE LAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BIGGS, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rice culture on the vast area of adobe lands west of Biggs and Gridley is apparently to become one of the leading branches of agriculture in Butte county, making profitable farming on lands that never have amounted to much in the past. The success of the past season has influenced Balfour Guthrie and Company, owners of land southwest of here, to go into the business more heavily next year. J. F. King of Gridley has taken the contract to plow and prepare 160 acres of rice on one of Balfour Guthrie's places. Many others will engage in rice culture next season on large and small tracts as a result of the success of experiments of the past two seasons.

MAKE HIGHWAY ATTRACTIVE.

SHADE TREES TO BE PLANTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—It has been announced that the State Highway Commission has decided not only to construct the best possible highways with the $18,000,000 bond issue, but to make those highways attractive by planting shade and ornamental trees along the sides. Definite plans will be worked out by the commission with the State Board of Forestry so that the work of planting the trees will go forward with the construction of the roads for the State. California will have a system of highways extending from the border of Oregon to the boundary of Arizona, and these highways will be bordered with trees selected and planted, cared for and watched by experts under the direction of State Forester Hemans.

ANSWERS MURDER CHARGE.

FOLLOWS MAN FOUND GUILTY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SALT LAKE (Utah) Dec. 15.—As Elmer L. Dewey was led from the courtroom today a convicted murderer, Harley M. McWhinney, charged with a similar crime, was led in. McWhinney, with Sam Kirkpatrick, who is awaiting trial, is charged with killing C. L. Erickson, a mining engineer, in a local hotel. Erickson was shot when he went to the rescue of Sol Brown, a Chicago salesman, whom it is alleged McWhinney and Kirkpatrick were attempting to rob. McWhinney pleaded not guilty and took the seat just vacated by Dewey, while his aged mother occupied the chair from which Dewey's mother had just risen.

THE OPIUM CRUSADE.

PLEAS OF GUILT ENTERED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—The fight of the State Board of Pharmacy on the opiate traffic resulted today in the pleas of guilty being entered in the Police Court by Dr. John F. Dillon for prescribing opiates to habitual users; Charles J. Geinger, a druggist who defied the State law; Joseph Daly and Mona Britt, peddlers of cocaine and morphine. Dillon and Geinger paid fines of $100 each, while the sentences of the other two went over until tomorrow.

Only 7 Christmas shopping days left

ARTHUR LETTS Broadway Dep't Store
HOME 10571. BDWY 4944 BROADWAY COR. 4TH. L.A.

Shop early. Morning hours are best.

Gift Suggestions for Children

—Where could a better selection be found than in this department of Children's and Infants' wear?
Teddy Bear Mittens, 25c pr. Each pair in fancy box.
Fur Sets, $1.45—These of Angora. Children's sizes. Other sets from that price on up to $15.
Red or White Sweater Coats for Children, 50c.
Knit Bootees or Mittens for Babies, 25c.
Blue or Pink Crib Blankets, 50c ea.
Children's Flannelette Kimonos, $1.25.
Infants' Silk Bonnets, $1.
Girls' Indian Suits, $1 and $1.35.

A Corset Demonstration You Should Attend Today

—Make it a point to visit the Broadway today and see the wonderful merits of

Bon Ton and Royal Worcester Corsets

As they are demonstrated by Mrs. B. F. Belden, the expert corsetiere, who is with us for today only. Mrs. Belden will gladly favor you with the assistance you wish in the selecting of a model best suited to your individual figure. Corset Dept., 2nd floor.

Corset Covers 50c

—We've just received this new shipment of pretty corset covers to feature at 50c each.
—The deep yoke is nicely trimmed with lace or embroidery beading and ribbon.

Dressing Sacques $1

—Made of a good quality flannelette and are equal to many garments that sell for as much as $1.25. They're made with long sleeve and sailor collar, nicely trimmed on the collar, cuffs, belt and down the front in contrasting color of sateen.

Women's Blanket Robes $2.95

—Just in time for Christmas we received this shipment of bath robes which are made of Beacon blankets. Some of them have sailor collar, others the turnover collar and are fastened with a good substantial cord. A large line of pretty colors from which to choose.

Over 1500 Side Frills

At 25c and 50c each

Surely a special purchase lot of these popular side frills could not have been brought forth at a more opportune time.

At 25c

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Seventeen.

TIMS OF "HIGHER UPS" LTY OF CENSUS PADDING

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Seventeen indicted Tax enumerators pleaded Judge Rudkin in Federal to have padded the rolls sentenced to pay a fine ...ours the smallest given in ...final case prosecuted by ...In only one other ...a fine of less than $100 ...find, since some of them ...his with them, were al...freedom until they can pay ...

...ler and C. A. Newton, ... to the Attorney-... referred to the fact that the seventeen were the tools of higher officials. Newton said the cases were "pathetic."

Those fined $50 and costs were: George A. Petrich, Earl K. Bishop, George E. Hoke, Clarence A. Brazell, Alphonse Cardone, Frank E. Jacquot, Benjamin F. Robbins, Foster Quinlan, Henry J. Jacobus, Murray R. Mackall, Howard Cady, Ernest Tanner, Michael Danaher, Charles T. Jaeger, Thomas Carvey, Samuel Fogg and John H. Allen.

Neglect of duty was the technical charge to which each pleaded. In most of the cases the grand jury had returned four or five counts. The men were allowed to plead to the least serious indictment with two exceptions. All seventeen are young men, some just out of High School.

Red Light.

...NE MERGER ON SHOALS ...F MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...NCISCO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The permit to ...owner of the Home and ...Telephone companies ...deal of municipal owner... the Public Utilities ...Home Committees of ...Supervisors met jointly ...consideration of the ...

...men said they were ...report being recommend... and each de... in favor of the munici... the Home Telephone ... public utility at its ...

...Supervisors refused to ...appeared before the ...men that the merger ...he found the two sys... tems are a financial burden and inconvenience. Among these were prominent men who pointed out the difficulties attendant upon the dual system.

The San Francisco Union Labor Council was represented by a committee of the council. These speakers said that if the Pacific were to acquire the Home franchise it would be tantamount to an extension of the Pacific's franchise for a period of fifteen years, and insisted that the present board is committed to the acquisition of all public utilities. They argued in favor of a competitive system.

Representatives of several independent farmers' systems also appeared before the board to ask that no favors be granted the Bell system until the company consents to give long-distance connections to all independent companies in the State. The whole matter was then tabled indefinitely.

Washington.

LOOK UNKINDLY ON ABROGATION.

Serious Opposition Develops In the Senate.

Fear Russia and Japan May Align Against Us.

Threatened Loss of Trade Kills Sulzer Plan.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—A report spread in the capital today that the efforts of the State Department to procure more liberal treatment for United States citizens of Jewish birth in Russia had resuletd in a tentative agreement for a modification of the Russian restrictions which might prove a satisfactory solution of the vexed question.

After the Cabinet meeting Secretary Knox denied an agreement had been reached, but indicated the negotiations were still in progress.

SENATE OPPOSITION.

Opposition to the Senate programme for immediate action on the Sulzer House resolution to terminate the treaty of 1832 is developing among some Senators. It is based largely on the theory that any estrangement between this country and Russia would have the effect of bringing Russia into alliance with Japan, with the result of injuring the Oriental trade of the United States. Many telegrams advancing this idea were received during the day. In most of these messages the Senate was urged not to pass the measure.

This view will be presented to the Committee on Foreign Relations when it meets next Monday in accordance with Chairman Cullem's promise to take up the resolution.

LODGE'S ASSURANCE.

Senator Lodge has given assurance that the resolution would be considered after Monday, but even then it might not succeed in getting through the Senate so promptly.

Senator Cullom has issued his call for the committee to meet at 11 o'clock Monday morning, and he said today he felt there would be ample time for the consideration of the resolution. Suggestion has been made that Secretary Knox should be invited before the committee, but as the committee's course was parctically prescribed by the reference to it of the Russian resolution, it has been decided that it woul dnot invite possible opposition to the immediate action contemplated.

There is an immediate possibility of ultimate delay on account of the changes in the resolution which would require the concurrence of the House. Most of the Senators believe the notice of abrogation provided for by the treaty must run for a year after the first of next January, succeeding action upon it.

AN AMENDMENT

Senator Lodge has intimated his intention of offering an amendment making clear the language of the Sulzer resolution to cover this point.

If the committee and Senate accept his view, it will be necessary to send the resolution back to the House. If this should prevent action by both bodies before Adjournment for the Christmas holidays, there would be no further necessity for haste, as an entire year would be left in which Congress might express itself. The House, however, will act quickly so as to expedite the resolution to the President for formal approval.

BOY ADOPTED BY PANTHERS.

Strays from His Father Into Thicket and Is Found Unhurt.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GALVESTON, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] George Hartman, the five-year-old son of Phil Hartman, who was believed to have drowned in the Colorado River in Llano county, was found this morning in the big thicket on Selkirk Island, with two panthers lying beside him. He had accompanied his father and brothers to the island and had strayed from the camp a mile away two days ago. Members of the party watched the panthers for two hours, trying to get a shot at the beasts, not knowing that the child was playing with them at the time. The thicket is infested with wild cats, panthers, lions, bears and wolves, and hunters never venture in the thicket at night. But the lad suffered only from hunger and thirst.

ECONOMY PROGRAMME.

Underwood Decides to Make Many Cities Wait for Money for New Federal Buildings.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Democratic Leader Underwood predicted today that the caucus of the House Democrats would not authorize an omnibus public building bill in this session of Congress, notwithstanding the Public Buildings Committee's recommendation.

"With the pension bill already passed," he said, "considerable has been granted the Democratic constituency and we should hesitate before making further drains upon the Treasury. The Treasury is now about three and one-half years behind in its work in public buildings. Even if a bill were passed, it would be impossible for the department to do anything with them for the next three or four years."

Mr. Underwood said to give everyone a fair show, an appropriation from $25,000,000 to $30,000,000 would be necessary and the Democratic leaders do not want such a bill to clash with their economy programme.

PROMOTES GAME PRESERVES.

Biological Survey Chief Advocates More Effective Laws to Prevent Destruction of Wild Fowl.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Owing to the rapidly decreasing number of wild fowl in this country, Dr. Henry W. Henshaw, chief of the Biological Survey, expresses the opinion in his annual report to Secretary of Agriculture Wilson that there should be increasingly stringent laws shortening the open season, a prohibition of spring shooting, and a decrease of the bag limit. He says there should be set apart in various States suitable lakes and ponds for bird refuges, where migrating waterfowl may safely resort.

"It is becoming apparent," says Dr. Henshaw, "that even should all the markets be closed and the sale of game prevented, depletion must continue to follow the rapid conversion of the wilderness. The question of preserves for game and for birds is therefore becoming increasingly apparent. In this country it is gratifying to note that game preserves, both public and private, have greatly increased in numbers, while here and there tracts are beginning to be devoted to non-game birds."

SUITOR GOES TO ASYLUM.

PROPOSED TO MISS ELKINS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Samuel B. McHenry, a Chicago inventor, 45 years old, who for two years, through the mail, has been urging matrimony on Miss Katherine Elkins, daughter of Senator Elkins of West Virginia, claiming to have met Miss Elkins's "spirit," is now confined in the National Government Hospital for the Insane. McHenry came here November 14, last, to ask Miss Elkins to marry him and was arrested at the Elkins home when he refused to leave. The affair at first was given no publicity.

BLAME PRINTER.

FOR DECISION'S DELAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is likely the Interstate Commerce Commission decision, of which Commissioner Prouty is the author, will not be made public until Monday. It was intended to give it out today, but the printer disappointed the commission. Commissioner Prouty said today he could give no information regarding the nature of the decision until it is formally made public.

LORIMER WILL WAIT.

WILL GO ON STAND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Senator Lorimer will not testify in his defense until after the Christmas holidays. It had been arranged to have him be a witness next Monday, but it was decided today to finish with all other witnesses before Congress adjourned for the holidays. E. H. Nockel, a labor leader, whose name was mentioned recently in the trial of the McNamaras, was a witness today and testified to certain conversations in Springfield, Ill.

Political.

POLITICAL BOOM SPECIAL TRAIN.

Harmon and Burke Slogan of the Democrats.

Ohio Executive on Western Governors' "Flier."

Will Spring Some Oratory in North Dakota.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Harmon and Burke in 1912.

That is the latest political combination conceived by the Democrats to carry their banner at the Presidential election now approaching.

Judson Harmon is Governor of Ohio, and John Burke is Governor of North Dakota.

When the western Governors' special train invaded Ohio, politics had been an unknown topic of conversation. The westerners had laid aside all politics to talk "back-to-the-soil." But the politically surcharged air of Ohio was too much. The junketing executives succumbed and they arose one morning to find that the Harmon-Burke boom was occupying important space in the private car where the travelers gathered for discussion and conference.

BOARDS THE SPECIAL.

Gov. Harmon remained on board the special while it was in the State of Presidents and President-makers. Before he left the train he held some brief conferences with several executives in the privacy of their apartments.

On the return West, Gov. Harmon boarded the train and with it passed through Chicago tonight on the way to St. Paul. There he will participate with the western Governors in a grand oratorical wind-up to the invasion of the East. He will admit he is a captive and incidentally, it is said, extol the high civic virtues of one John Burke, erstwhile Governor of the proud prairie State of North Dakota.

The western Governors, of course, will given a final forensic spurt. Each will laud the promoters of the trip and congratulate those responsible for its success, modestly declining the honors due themselves as the stellar attractions of the circuit of one-night stands.

BURKE'S PLAN.

Gov. Burke, it is predicted, though he himself has announced his determination to eschew things political, will give to the East praise and thanks. Praise for its reception of them and thanks for the high opinion Gov. Harmon has for the State of North Dakota and for the knowledge he himself has gained of that other great commonwealth—Ohio.

What will happen then is conjecture. Some of the western executives will swing into line for Harmon and Burke, it is said. Others will not. But, anyway, Gov. Harmon has been invited and has accepted the invitation of Gov. Burke to "come out and meet the people of my State."

It is said Gov. Burke will return the visit and meet the people of Ohio immediately after Gov. Harmon's return home.

THE VERMILYA CASE.

CHICAGO (Ill.) Dec. 15.—[By. A. P. Night Wire.] Taking of testimony before the Cook county grand jury in the case of Mrs. Louise Vermilya, charged with poisoning Policeman Arthur Bisonette, was terminated in an unexpectedly short time late today. Although no report was returned, it was indicated that the grand jury had reached a conclusion. No report is expected until Monday.

PITH OF THE NEWS FROM OUT THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15. — [Exclusive Dispatch.] The highest temperature in Chicago today was 41 and the lowest 32 deg. Middle West temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	44	34
Bismarck	16	14
Cairo	42	38
Cheyenne	32	16
Cincinnati	42	28
Cleveland	38	36
Concordia	48	28
Davenport	46	30
Denver	42	14
Des Moines	42	30
Detroit	38	34
Devil's Lake	16	12
Dodge City	46	16
Dubuque	40	26
Duluth	40	26
Grand Rapids	36	28
Green Bay	32	30
Helena	30	20
Huron	34	17
Indianapolis	38	32
Kansas City	44	34
Marquette	40	32
Memphis	46	40
Milwaukee	38	28
Omaha	42	30
St. Louis	40	34
St. Paul	28	24
Sault Ste. Marie	34	30
Springfield, Ill.	38	32
Springfield, Mo.	38	32
Wichita	40	32

MUNICIPAL LOAN OFFICE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Dec. 15.—Kansas City's municipal loan agency, conducted by the Board of Public Welfare, made loans aggregating $57,064.25 during the year just ended, according to a statement issued by Manager O. S. Carman. "Eighteen thousand dollars in interest, which would otherwise have gone into the coffers of loan sharks was saved to the people of Kansas City during the year," Mr. Carman said today.

MAN KILLER TURNS EVANGELIST

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OSCEOLA (Ark.) Dec. 15.—Dob Dean, deputy Sheriff, has killed ten men and has stopped bullets thirteen times during his career as an officer, but that is not going to keep him from becoming an evangelist. "It only proves that I have been 'tested in the fire,'" Dean says. Dean got religion during a revival here. He says he sees no reason why he should not go forth and preach, as "Billy" Sunday did, and that he is no worse than the baseball player-evangelist was.

MOTHER AND CHILD KILLED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LAWRENCE (Kan.) Dec. 15.—With her clothes afire, Mrs. L. C. Hemphill, wife of a farmer near Reno, ran screaming with her 7-months-old babe from her kitchen to a near by pond. A five-foot stone wall separated her from the water. She threw the child over the wall into the water and, climbing over herself, followed it into the pond. The water extinguished the flames, but mother and child were so badly burned that they died shortly after. Mrs. Hemphill, carrying her child in her arms, was lighting a fire with coal oil when her dress became ignited.

DIES OF MENINGITIS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Carl A. Muser of Cleveland, O., a cadet at the new United States naval training station at North Chicago, who has been sick for a week with spinal meningitis, died today. Death was hastened, according to officials, by double pneumonia. Arthur Lemont Welton of Lodi, Cal., who has also been sick with the disease, is reported convalescing. There is little likelihood of the disease spreading among the 400 cadets, according to Capt. W. F. Fallon, commandant.

FOR THE FORTY FIVERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—The establishment of a huge department store in the "loop" district, which would employ men and women 45 years of age or over, exclusively, was suggested today by I. C. Cramer, a leading member of the Knights of Pythias, for meeting the purposes of the Anti-Forty - Five - Years - of - Age - Limit League. Mr. Cramer spoke at the league's regular meeting, and said women should not be allowed to marry before they are 24 years of age, and men not until they are 30. "There are too many boys of 18 marrying girls of 16, and they assume cares they are not able to understand," he said.

ROUGE FOR THE AGED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 15.—In the belief that the feminine desire to please the eye exists until death, the Book and Flower Guild has decided to give face powder, toilet waters, perfume and delicate soaps as Christmas presents at the homes for the aged.

PLAY HOUSE IN SCHOOL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Pupils, graduates and working boys and girls last night flocked to four public schoolhouses, where they engaged in many forms of amusement. The evening marked the inauguration of the School Boards' plan for turning over the schools to the people for social amusement. The idea of the board was that the plan would have a tendency to overcome the evils of the public dance hall. At three of the schools the young people danced. At all of the schools the plan was declared a success.

DROWNED IN TAR.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HAMILTON (O.) Dec. 15.—The body of Frank Eyre, an employee of a coal company, was found in a tank of tar at the plant last night. The police believe Eyre was pushed into the tank, which during the working hours of the day is boiling hot.

"WETS" WIN IN OHIO.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COLUMBUS (O.) Dec. 15.—By winning back two counties yesterday which voted out saloons two years ago, the "wets" have won ten counties that voted recently on the question of retaining county prohibition. The "drys" won three counties.

UNCONSCIOUS A YEAR.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HOOPESTOWN (Ill.) Dec. 15.—After remaining unconscious for thirteen months, following an attack of locomotor ataxia, David B. Crain, aged 56, died yesterday.

FOUR WOMEN ROBBED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—Four women and a man were bound, gagged and robbed here yesterday by what the police believe to be the same band of robbers. Miss Ruth Wilkes, 17 years old, was bundled up in the clothing from her own bed, carried into an adjoining room, and left, while the burglar started on a loot expedition. He was frightened away. Last night robbers entered a small grocery owned by Mrs. Mary C. Hortig, in the southwest part of the city. She, a daughter, a woman customer and her brother-in-law were in the place. All were tied to chairs and gagged, while thieves rifled the place. Other customers later released the prisoners.

Pledge.

TURK AS ALLY OF THE PERSIANS.

CRITICAL MOMENT FOR ENGLAND AT HAND.

Mohammedans to Make Common Cause of Islam Against the Bear As Result of the Shuster Inbroglio—Fighting Expected Any Moment.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TEHERAN, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fighting between the Turks and Russians near Kher is probable. Turkey has informed Persia she is ready to employ 400,000 men against Russia in Asia in the event of war and will rely on the assistance of the whole Persian nation in defense of Islam.

All the tribes of Persia, including the Nomads, telegraph to urge the Cabinet to resist Russia and offering to fight to the last man.

Russia is making frantic efforts to bring about the dismissal of W. Morgan Shuster, and is spending large amounts of money in an endeavor to induce twenty deputies to resign their seats and thus leave the Mejliss without a quorum, when she can squeeze the Cabinet into submission. She also has distributed 100,000 rubles to the poor and is arranging for the distribution of food, as owing to the wintry weather and high prices there is great distress at Teheran. All these efforts, however, have up to the present proved unavailing.

By the famous secret treaty of Cyprus in 1878, England pledged herself to defend Turkey's Asiatic frontier in time of war. This treaty is still in full force and England holds Cyprus in virtue of it. Unless, therefore, England breaks her pledged word, she must support Turkey. She must choose between Turkey and Russia.

Sir Edward Grey leans toward Russia, but the voice of England says Turkey. In that case we may see a new grouping of the powers. Germany also is unlikely to forfeit the friendship carefully fostered with Turkey and the glittering prospect of the Bagdad Railway. Russia will thus find herself opposed by all.

GIVEN CHANCE TO ANSWER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] In the future civil service employees proposed for dismissal or reduction in grade or compensation will be furnished with a copy of reasons or charges and granted a reasonable time to make answer in writing. Heretofore employees have been dismissed or reduced without notice

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RICH YOUNG MAN ELOPES.

Nephew of Former Senator Nelson Aldrich Marries Factory Girl in New England and Shocks Society.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LYNN (Mass.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The romance and elopement of the rich nephew of Senator Nelson Aldrich of Rhode Island, Russell Aldrich, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldrich of Newport's select social circle, and his marriage to a winsome factory girl of this city, leaked out yesterday. After many trials and tribulations, the young couple are now basking in the slowly-granted pardon of the girl's father, a modest tailor, who felt angry and expressed it in no uncertain words when first he learned of the marriage.

It was on Thanksgiving Day that the two, who met but recently in Lynn and had been lovers almost from first sight, arranged matters so they could slip to Newport and get married by a justice of the peace. When they came back they expected the parental forgiveness would be theirs at once, but the father of Mildred Blanchard was embittered. Then followed pleadings in which the girl's mother was induced to join, and finally at a family gathering last night the father was won over.

There was doubt expressed whether the parents of the groom were aware of the hasty marriage, but the couple declared tonight that they do know and do not object.

HE LOVES AMERICANS.

But the Turkish Minister of Public Works Wants a Better Deal Before Giving Them a Contract.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "It should not be supposed from anything I have done that I am opposed to Americans," said Holouss Bey, Minister of Public Works, yesterday. "I could not accept the conditions proposed by Arthur Chester for building the proposed railroad line from Sivas to Diarbekir, but I am ready to consider another American scheme more favorable to Turkey. All Turks are well disposed toward Americans, and are prepared to support American interests when properly conceived and represented."

It is generally thought the Minister's sympathies are with the German railroad promoters. The controversy with the Chester syndicate continues.

Arthur Chester is a son of Admiral Chester of the United States Navy. It was reported in April last that through his efforts an American railroad syndicate had obtained a concession for building a line from Sivas to Diarbekir, with mining rights along the way.

Rude Interruption.

BODY TAKEN FROM GRAVE

Funeral Services Stopped by Official Act.

Murder Feared by Relatives of Dead Woman.

Widower Freed of Suspicion By the Autopsy.

As the final funeral rites at the cemetery were being conducted and the coffin containing the body of Mrs. Ina Belle Sidwell was being lowered into the grave, at Whittier, yesterday afternoon, the services were suddenly halted by an order from Dist.-Atty. Fredericks's office upon a report that the woman had been murdered.

The minister had said the last few words at the grave and, while the weeping relatives were gathered around the coffin, word came that the funeral could not proceed.

A report had been made to Capt. Fredericks that the woman had been poisoned and that her death had occurred after she had had several quarrels with her husband, Lester Sidwell, who was at the graveside.

When Sidwell was told that an autopsy would have to be performed on his wife's body, he readily gave his consent.

"My wife died a natural death," he said, "and I am perfectly willing that the cause of her death should be fully proven. I do not wish to remain under a cloud."

Dr. George W. Campbell of the Coroner's office, accompanied by Mrs. Sidwell's brother-in-law, a deputy sheriff who lives in Whittier, had hastened from Los Angeles to Whittier in an automobile. They reached Whittier just as the hearse returned from the cemetery bringing back the woman's body.

An autopsy was performed by Dr. Campbell. He found that Mrs. Sidwell had not been poisoned, but that she had died from natural causes. The autopsy showed that blood-poisoning had been the cause of death.

—BECAME SUSPICIOUS.

According to Dr. Campbell, the Sidwells had been having domestic trouble for some time before the woman's death. A few weeks ago their 5-year-old daughter died and when Mrs. Sidwell died, Mrs. Sidwell's relatives became suspicious and reported the matter to Dist.-Atty. Fredericks. According to the story of Mrs. Sidwell's grandfather, Sidwell had threatened to kill his wife on several occasions.

"He threatened to kill her and it looks as if he had determined to kill the entire family," one of the relatives told Dr. Campbell.

The Sidwells had been living apart for some time, but a few weeks ago a reconciliation was effected and the wife and husband began living together again. Shortly after the reconciliation Mrs. Sidwell became ill and was treated by one of Whittier's physicians. She died within a few days and the physician issued a certificate giving blood poison as the cause of death.

Mrs. Sidwell was 35 years of age and was possessed of considerable property. This property is said to have been the cause of the differences between herself and her husband.

"The woman was not murdered; of that I am sure," said Dr. Campbell last night. "The autopsy plainly showed the cause of death. We will not dig up the child's body. If we had found anything suspicious in the autopsy today we would open the child's grave, but as the cause of death of the mother is known there is no need in holding an autopsy over the child. Mrs. Sidwell's relatives are now satisfied that she died from natural causes."

Whittier was much excited over the stopping of the funeral, as there was a large crowd at the cemetery when the services were interrupted.

UNION MINE WORKERS ELECT.

BRIDGEPORT (O.) Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] An officer of the Ohio Union Mine Workers, who is a supporter of Thomas L. Lewis, said tonight that returns indicated Lewis's defeat for the presidency of the United Mine Workers of America, by John P. White, incumbent.

SIXTH SOLDIER ARRESTED.

(Continued from First Page.)

of the unbalanced mind of Private Quirk. It is pointed out that Quirk has been in solitary confinement in the Fort Riley guardhouse for three months, and it was only after he confessed that he was released therefrom.

EXONERATES CHAPLAIN AND THE WOMAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LEAVENWORTH (Kan.) Dec. 15.—W. H. Mackey, deputy warden of the Federal penitentiary here, formerly United States Marshal for Kansas, who investigated the explosions and fires in Fort Riley, in an interview tonight, said neither the Rev. Mr. Brewer nor Mrs. Anne Jordan was implicated in the crimes. Brewer, he said was in Texas at the time and never returned to Junction City, Kan.

In explaining his investigation of the explosion, Mr. Mackey said the person supposed to be the Rev. Mr. Brewer, who is said to have been seen near the fort preceding the burning of the stables, was an ex-clergyman who greatly resembled the former chaplain and was mistaken for him.

Mr. Mackey said the damage done in the fort would not exceed $50,000 and that the report that it would amount to a million dollars was an exaggeration.

MARRIAGE ALTERS PLANS.

Young Woman Restored to Mother By Peculiar Coincidence Upsets Reunion by Becoming Bride.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

AURORA (Ill.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. George Starz searched for sixteen years for a daughter she had given away as a baby. At length by chance she found her in the person of Miss Ethel Richardson, aged 18, a beautiful and talented girl of Dayton, O. Miss Richardson had been adopted by a wealthy family, who took her as a baby from a home for children.

The girl left the home of the foster parents and came to Aurora to live in humble circumstances with the mother. Another daughter, Blanche Richardson, had been given away by Mrs. Starz when her first husband was killed in a railroad accident and was left with a large family of children. This girl had been living for sixteen years in Dayton with her sister Ethel, yet they did not know each other. This led Ethel to go to Dayton several weeks ago to bring her sister home to her mother. She planned a happy family reunion at Christmas.

"It will be fine, mamma, if I can find Blanche and we can have our first Christmas dinner together with you," she said. Two days later she arrived in Dayton and was today married to a theatrical man.

BIG INCREASE IN CAPITAL.

Company Operating Five and Ten-Cent Stores Proposes to Invade Canada and England.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The F. W. Woolworth Company, which runs a string of five and ten-cent stores all over the country, and which was originally organized in Watertown, N. Y., with a capital of $10,000 has applied to the Secretary of State for a charter to organize a company which will acquire for $64,000,000 a string of stores all over the United States, Canada and England, comprising the principal five and ten-cent store companies in the world. The new company will be known as the F. W. Woolworth company, and will control over six hundred stores. The offices will be in the new skyscraper to be known as the Woolworth building, which is going up at the corner of Park Place and Broadway in this city.

THE CAPTAIN DETACHED.

Army Officer Once Reported Engaged to President's Daughter, Sent Away From the White House.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Washington society was stirred today by the announcement that Capt. Graham Johnson, U.S.A., military aide to President Taft, has suddenly been detached from duty at the White House, and ordered to the Philippines. He has been with the President two years.

Not long ago the report that Capt. Johnson was engaged to Miss Helen Taft, daughter of the President, was published. It was denied at the White House.

Hostile.

...ACHMENT OF NEGROES ...LISTED IN REVOLUTION.

...Hundred of Them Mobilized at Brownsville ...for Field in Reyes Uprising—Expect to Join ...ment Against Monterey—Report That Reyes ...h Soon to Be Opened at Washington.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...MITO (Tex.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That a de... of three hundred negroes ...rmed and is ready for the ...Reyes revolution, is learned ...authoritative source today. ...ormed from the same source ...Bernardo Reyes is forty kilo... from Monterey, upon ...h he will move first with the ...of taking it and establishing ...headquarters for operations ...Madero government.

...ERED AT BROWNSVILLE.

...ge detachment, it is learned, ...near Brownsville, on the ...ad will proceed immediately ...ed when the movement ...Monterey is begun. From ...ations recently it has been ...that the attack is scheduled ...next Sunday or Monday.

...ed that the Mexican gov... knows the exact whereabouts ...The Reyista colony here ...ssibly thinned in the ...ays, probably because of the ...eral indictments charging ...of the neutrality laws.

...NGTON REBEL JUNTA.

...abishment of a Washington ...the Reyes cause is the latest ...ort, and appears to bear out ...ef that the revolution is ...about Monterey. A promi... figure of the cause today de... Luis Fernando Ancira, a well-...ent of North Mexico, is ...the American capital, where he ...the financial end of the ...Another Reyista from Mon... Sylvester Ancira in this mis... whose name is not learned.

...ession of the watch on the ...being made, but with the ex... arrests of alleged Reyistas ...days, matters generally seem ...ession of the calm before the ...storm.

...ER SEES ...INTERVENTION AHEAD

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...ORE (Md.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The inevitable ...of the situation in Mexico ...intervention by the United States," said J. P. Thatcher, a mining engineer of Los Angeles, today, at the New Howard Hotel. Mr. Thatcher has been operating in the State of Chihuahua for several years and says he is thoroughly informed as to matters in the Aztec republic.

"Uncle Sam must step in sooner or later," he said. "Even the most rabid opponents of intervention admit that it is the only solution of a condition that is already intolerably bad, and will soon reach a state of anarchy. It has almost reached that point now. From one end of the country to the other there is discontent, business is stagnant and thousands of idlers stand around with their hands in their pockets ready to fight for any leader who will give them a bare pittance with which to buy a few beans and corn cakes.

"Among the lower classes — the peons — there is widespread suffering because there is no employment and no crops worth mentioning have been harvested. Of course, the natives hate the idea of foreign protectorate, but the opinion is prevalent down there that unless the United States speedily adopts the course it did in regard to Cuba, Great Britain and Germany will call upon the government at Washington to put a stop to the disorder and the losses that subjects of those countries are sustaining.

REPORTS ENGAGEMENT NEAR BOUNDARY LINE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15.—Reports of a three-hour fight between Federal troops and rebels near Myre on the border of the United States have reached here.

A small force from the United States, whether composed of Reyistas or Vasquetas is unknown, was routed by the seventeenth regiment of Federal troops.

The news comes here from Camargo, State of Tamaulipas, under date of December 13.

The rebels fled after the fight, leaving five dead. The Federals took four prisoners, some rifles and a quantity of ammunition. The Federals lost three killed and three wounded.

Collectors.

...H MEN WITH HOBBIES TO RIDE THEM IN CLUB.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Hobby Club is the ...and has elected the follow... ...Arthur J. Dowling, president; ...Huntington and Darwin P. ...Kinsley; William M. ...; John C. Tomlinson; ...and Prof. William ...several of the ...board of governors, ...addition Theodore ...Joline, John C. ...V. Hoffman. ...collectors of ...other, costly ...have monthly ...will ride their ...one member will be given two hours to make an address on his particular hobby, during which all other hobbies will be kept in their stable and strictly incommunicado.

Some very distinguished hobbyists are among the club's members. Henry E. Huntington of Los Angeles, who paid $50,000 last year for the Gutenberg Bible, is a noted collector of books and valuable manuscripts; Justice Dowling collects books; Mr. Kinsley, Shakespeareana; Mr. Joline, autographs; Prof. Trent, books relating to Defoe; Mr. Hoffman, old New York prints; Mr. Tomlinson, sun dials; and Mr. Schnitzer, books.

Theodore N. Vail is keeping his hobby a secret. Its revelation is to be part of the tidings on the evening of the first dinner.

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County Medical Association Has Busy Session.

Becomes Largest in Stae in the Last Year. ....

Rtiring President Gives a Strong Address.

A plea for greater manifestation of the spirit of unity among religious workers, social workers and scientists in the field of medicine was the keynote of every address delivered last night at the annual meeting of the County Medical Association, held on the fourth floor of the Hamburger building.

Nearly 100 members attended the meeting, which was replete with interest, both from scientific and from social points of view. Dr. W. Jarvis Barlow, retiring president of the association, opened the session with a brilliant address on the work in the medical field of today and upon the special work accomplished by the county association, after which he introduced the new president, Dr. O. O. Witherbee. The latter gave a brief address in which he congratulated Dr. Barlow upon the efficient manner in which he directed the work of the association the past year.

The other new officers are Dr. William M. Lewis, vice-president; Dr. George H. Kress, secretary-treasurer, and Dr. George L. Cole, Dr. F. C. E. Mattison and Dr. Barlow as a board of councilors.

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A featire of the meeting was the report of Dr. Stanley P. Black on "Public Health," in which he told the members of many public meetings in various parts of the county the last year. He gave assurance that the prevention of accidents will be taken up by the Public Health Committee during the coming year. Many accidents occur, he said, that could well be avoided, especially in elevators and high building construction. He advocated ordinances requiring safer scaffolding, and said the law should require that all elevator doors should be kept locked when not in use.

HISTORY OF MEDICINE.

An interesaing address on "The History of Medicine in the Sixteenth Century" was read by Dr. Elbert Wing. He told of the great effect which the work of medical scientists of two centuries ago has had upon the healing art of today.

Other addresses enjoyed by the members were "Some Recent European Observations," by Dr. H. Bert Ellis; "German Publications on Medicine and Surgery," by Dr. Henry H. Lissner; "American and English publications on Medicine," by Dr. Donald Frick, and "French Publications on Medicine an dSurgery," by J. J. Van Kathoven.

The report of the secretary, Dr. Kressd brought a round of cheers. This report showed that the association has within the year become the largest in point of membership of any county association in California, numbering 561, an addition of more than 100 over 1910.

BARLOW'S ADDRESS.

In the course of his address, Dr. Barlow, the retiring president, said:

Conscious of a high trust, the men and women of the medical profession have ever stood for the betterment of human conditions. They have accomplished their work in the relief and prevention of disease through personal efforts and unselfishness, and as individuals they are respected by their neighbors, but as organized bodies they seem to hold a somewhat unpopular position. Measures taken for the prevention of disease and the protection of public health are identical, and if the precautions that scientific medicine gives are to be successfully carried out, it is necessary to have the support of the public. While ignorance of scientific facts exists among the people, there will always be resistance to any legislation which seemingly curtails persona liberty.

The reasons for considering the subject at this time are, (first) national and (second) local.

(1) National. The bill introduced into Congress by Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma, provides for a National Board of Public Health. Leaders of higher standards, who stricter laws of government, curtailing the liberty of the individual even for the safeguard of the many, always become unpopular; and the animosity at the present time toward the medical profession and its part find representation, the American Medical Association, may thus, in part, find explanation. The American Medical Association and its branches have been factors in putting better health laws upon the statute books with the result that better qualified men and women are practicing the healing art, and those who are hurt naturally attempt to strengthen their position by adding to their number the misguided and ignorant, forming a league of so-called medical freedom. Those thoroughly trained along scientific lines make no complaint of injustice or the infringement on their individual liberty or rights as citizens. The medical profession has not been treated with fairness by those allied with the so-called League of Medical Freedom.

The medical profession has made no attack on any sect for its religious or spiritual views, but when any person or any set of people offend the general welfare or attempt the breaking down of barriers protecting the public health, an attack by the profession must be made if it is to be true to its vocation. The greater the publicity given this subject the sooner will the people recognize the advantages of a Bureau of Public Health. Those responsible for the government of the United States can be trusted to conduct such a department honestly and broadly, just as they are trusted to carry on other departments of the government. Our national and local medical organizations stand for the protection of public health and for any measures that will best attain this end, limiting only the right to care for the sick, irrespective of any school of healing, to those who have sufficient knowledge to safeguard the patient and the public.

(2.) Local. The marked activity of those who may be termed antisanitarians, in their active opposition to the physical inspection of school children, thrusts upon this society an obligation to inform the public of its danger. The study of the mind and its complex operation has been disregarded by the profession with the result that the treatment of such conditions in many instances is left to irregular healers.

When physicians are cnsultants for both mind and body, there will be no need of Christian Science or allied false science. A belief or faith that brings improved conditions to a suffering individual, or makes a nervous invalid feel strong and well, deserves our careful and serious consideration. That Christian Science can do this for many who embrace its faith, none who have conscientiously considered the matter will deny. Faith is the dominant note that produces the harmony and may be simply regarded as the natural attitude which, as such, enters into all modern scientific psychotherapy. As conscientious men and women of the healing art truly understand this and live it, through their actions, thoughts and words, their patients need never lack for the sympathy and held now sought through irregular channels. More spiritual and moral uplift, and less materialism through example of living are needed among us. This question of Christian Science should not, perhaps, be taken too seriously, for the people may be trusted to do in time what is right for the general good.

To render public health work more effective a section of this society should be established, meeting monthly, and including all laymen and women working for the physical welfare of the community, e.g., certain members of the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian associations, the housing commission, settlement workers, tuberculosis societies. A modified membership could be given that these workers might feel themselves a part of the medical profession in so far as the work relates to public health. This section might aid the county and State societies in putting out of business those unlicensed, who practice in defiance of law, and those licensed hypocrites who are breaking the laws of God and man by illegitimate practice.

ECKERT WILL STANDS.

Son Who Contested Is Now Cut off Without a Penny; But He Will Appeal to Higher Court.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Surrogate Coghalan today dismissed the contest brought by James Clendennin Eckert to upset the will of his father, the late Gen. Thomas T. Eckert, for many years president of the Western Union, and sustained the will as a valid instrument entitled to probate.

Clendennin Eckert contested the will, under which he received only $50,000 outright, while his brother, Thomas T. Eckert, Jr., received the bulk of the estate. He charged his father had been unduly influenced by Thomas T. Eckert, Jr., and that at the time of the execution of the will his father was of unsound mind by reason of his age and physical and mental infirmities.

The will provided that in event of a contest by James Clendennin Eckert, the share he was to receive should revert to the estate and he should be cut off entirely.

That he will carry the fight on to the higher courts is a foregone conclusion.

GOING AFTER SCOTT.

Terra Nova Leaves New Zealand to Find Briton Who Went to View the South Pole.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHRIST CHURCH (New Zealand) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Capt. Robert Scott's exploring ship Terra Nova sailed today for the Antarctic. She is going to rescue and bring back Capt. Scott, who is seeking the South Pole. Lieut Pennell, in command of the Terra Nova, when she returned to New Zealand last June, said Capt. Scott was to take a route different from that of Amundsen, who was going by way of Beardmore glacier.

WANT MONEY RETURNED.

Minnesota University Officials Make Formal Demand on Ex-Secretary They Accuse of Embezzlement.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.) Dec. 15.—John Lind, president of the board of regents of the University of Minnesota, and State Treasurer Smith formally demanded today that J. D. Bren, former university cashier and acting treasurer, produce the money he says was stolen from him in a campus holdup, and all other money which came into his hands as university employee.

Bren is under indictment charging embezzlement of about $20,000 of university funds, and the trial is set for January 2, 1910.

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Life's Seamy Side.

TO BREAK NECK BY MERE TWIST.

Doctor Tells Oroville Jury How it Is Done.

Finds Only Five Parallels to Rumball Case.

Damaging Testimony Delivered In Murder Trial.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OROVILLE, Dec. 15.—Damaging evidence was given today against Arthur Lewis, charged with the murder of Helen Rumball, his half-sister, by Dr. L. L. Thompson, the physician who conducted the autopsy upon the body. Dr. Thompson testified death was due to a double dislocation of the neck, which could not have resulted from an attempt to commit suicide.

There were only five cases in the history of medicine similar to this one, the physician asserted. The dislocations must have been caused by great external twisting force. In reply to questions, he said the most plausible theory to account for the girl's death was her head had been twisted until the neck was broken. It was possible to do this, he said, without leaving external evidence of the contact of the hands.

Dr. Thompson gave it as his belief a man could have exercised sufficient force, in the weakened condition of the girl, to cause a double dislocation of the neck such as the autopsy revealed.

Photographs of the corpse of the 13-year-old girl were introduced. The photographs, which were passed among the jurors, showed marks said to have been made by ropes around the neck, wrists and ankles.

W. G. Tyler, a brother-in-law of the defendant, testified Mrs. Rumball told him she had gone to the attic to release the girl whom she had tied there to punish. He said he saw the window cords, with which the child had been tied lying on the floor of the attic.

MURDER VERDICT REACHED.

Utah Jury Recommends Life Imprisonment for Man Found Guilty of Murdering a Policeman.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 15.—Guilty of murder in the first degree, with a recommendation for life imprisonment, was the verdict returned today by the jury in the case of Elmer L. Dewey, a former private detective, charged with the murder of Police Sergeant J. Henry Johnston, July 5, 1911.

Johnston, who had been summoned to end a family quarrel between Dewey and his wife, was shot and killed by Dewey as he entered the latter's room.

When the jury, which had been out all night, returned their verdict, Dewey broke into wild sobs, throwing himself into the arms of his mother.

Avaricious.

WALL STREET IS CHARGED WITH WAR IN NICARAGUA.

Son of Former President Zelaya Says Last Revolution Was Incited by United Fruit Company Because Government Refused to Renew Monopolistic Concession.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] C. A. Zelaya, son of the exiled President of Nicaragua and secretary of the Nicaraguan Embassy at Washington, arrived in San Francisco this morning with his wife and little son, for the holidays.

After a four weeks' stay he will go directly from here to Nicaragua to look after his father's interests there.

"I do not think it will be so long until my father will be called back to Nicaragua. The people now realize that they need him," he said.

"People of the United States have no idea of the truth concerning any Latin-American situation. As a matter of fact, the Nicaraguans are a peace-loving people, and all our revolutions are brought about by the machinations of Wall street.

"The countries of Central and South America are the richest of undeveloped countries in the world. At the bottom of all our revolutions is a fight for a concession by some Wall-street capitalist.

HOW LAST WAR STARTED.

"Take the upheaval in Nicargua two years ago. It was brought about by the United Fruit Company of New York, of which Mr. Davis of Boston is president. That revolution was fought about as fiercely by the papers of New York as it was in Nicaragua. Every paper took sides one way or the other, according to their political connection with the financial ring connected with the fruit company.

"In the early days, when our country was anxious to get capital to develop its resources, the United Fruit Company secured a concession from our government to the use of our only river. We have no railroads from the interior to the coast, and the only way people could get their fruit to market was by way of this river. You see, this concession gave the fruit company a monopoly on our only means of transportation. They could refuse to allow other fruit dealers to use the river and the people had to sell to them at a very low price all their fruit or whatever it was they had to market.

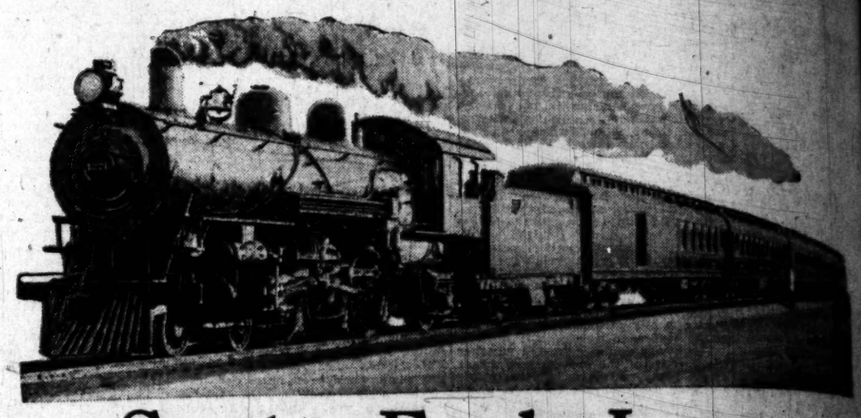
FIGHT FOR MONOPOLY.

"They had paid such low prices that development of the country was retarded. When the concession expired my father refused to renew it.

"There, as everywhere else, there was an anti-administration party, but one no more disposed to warfare than the anti-administration party of this State.

"But the capitalists interested in the fruit company went to the leader of the opposition, arranged to finance a revolution, and when the new party went in, got a renewal of their concession."

Zelaya married two years ago a Miss Lee of the famous Virginia family. He is himself, a graduate of West Point, and has spent most of his life in the United States. Zelaya will remain in San Francisco until the middle of January.



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3. You find me in every country, my voice rings out around the world.
4. I speak every language, tell the truth, and nothing but the truth.
5. When I speak, millions listen: [1] The Caucasians, [2] the Mongolians, [3] the Ethiopians, [4] the Malayans, [5] the Indians.
6. I need no food, but live as long as metal endures.
7. I handle all kinds of money, [1] Gold, [2] Silver, [3] Nickel, [4] Copper, [5] Paper in all currencies.
8. I make unchangeable records of all I do.
9. I remove temptation, shorten the hours of labor and keep people correct.
10. I protect the weak and strengthen the strong.
11. I give hope to the weary and make the world better.
12. I give [1] Publicity, [2] Protection, [3] Prosperity, [4] Profits, and [5] Peace of mind.
13. I cost but little and do so much. I am the cash register.

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...Sum for Hospital.

...Scale of Magnificent and
...Brilliant Performance.

BY JULIAN JOHNSON.

...ething to help frail, wee
...to the dawn of life.
...Sluggish, tree-mouthed, puls-
...the first warmth of summer—
...a tender caress over that
...ere winter breaks into
...ful blossom of the year,
...with all the infant, unex-
...vision of August glory.
...the debutantes' vaudeville
...auditorium last night for the
...of the Children's Hospital.
...has there been a more
...disinterest occasion than this.
...all the fairest flower of Los
...young womanhood, woman-
...barely knowing itself from girl-
...set forth all its youthful en-
...of beauty, all its resources
...entrance of poor little chil-
...misfortune it is to be sick
...poor or in some way afflicted
...the rosy, romping heritage of
...is denied them.
...after a success?
...frankly speaking, we can only
...encores to every number,
...down to some, did not per-
...final curtain to fall until 11:40
...o'clock!
...that in Los Angeles greatest
...audience chamber was oc-
...of there were many who
...the city ordinances, unknown
...and stood, peeping in at
...services and curtains. And
...so all over, it was conser-
...estimated that the net profits
...night's show would yield more
...with another $2000 to be
...from the second performance
...noon.
...was a fault, it was to be
...by the audience and not with
...galaxy of stardom back of
...the curtain. That slow, talk-
...buzzing gathering did not
...its places until 8:45 o'clock,
...how long was the performance
...of the scenes there was the
...of activity.
...all in the Auditorium for hav-
...of the country's greatest
...and Director Edgar Temple.
...ing to "cross," and smearing
...of his dress-coat with dust
...automobile which was one
...more," while powder from a
...lady's fair arm, as she hur-
...made his satin lapel all that
...ought to be.
...for the Auditorium stage
...a hill of people and things,
...animate and inanimate, and
...there was nothing which seemed
...place, and in reality there was
...little confusion.
...in all a wonderful bower of
...before the performance was
...flowers in which the stage-
...stood despairingly, posies in
...their debutantes tripped as
...into the blazing foots to get
...them.
...those things out of the way,"
...a "prop," dragging a "flat"
...to make one of the heavy sets
...big numbers, and almost fall-
...queen's ransom in orchids
...of us.
...flowers, and who cares? The
...were bruised in unbeautiful
...but it was all done for the glory
...great cause, and for the sheer
...and happiness of personal ex-
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...Credit were, of course, the prin-
...for there were scores of stal-
...young fellows helping them, and
...the fairer sex was not very
...limited in numbers.
...Special praise is due director Ed-
...Bowes who for weeks has been
...ing the great programme so
...that it was given last evening, and to
...his professional experience and
...executive ability was no doubt due, in
...part, the flawless rendition of
...the varied and varied entertain-
...ment, smoothly according to schedule.
...There was a touch of good old-fashioned "big
...time" about it which was manifest in the
...opening number, which was nothing
...more nor less than a brisk, rattling
...minstrel session, under the direction
...of that great big husky good fellow,
...Charley Sheedy. Assisting Mr. McIn-
...tosh, who was the interlocutor, were
...Messrs. Henry Daley, James Page,
...Jack Bonner, Tim Horan, J. H.
...Mott, Beverly Keime, Allan Archer,
...Walter Miller, John Llewellyn, Vernon
...Clarke, Arden Day, Paul Bucklin, Paul
...McGuire, Charles Sheedy, Paul Herron
...and Pendleton.
...Were his jokes good? You bet!
...How appreciated? Well, take
...a paper!
...The success of this thing was fur-
...ther clinched by Charley Sheedy, who
...as "next lame," but, deter-
...mined not to be left out of the run-
...ning, came on with a cane and a
...sense of humor raised to the Nth
...degree.
...You should have seen Mrs. Guy
...Bates in her impersonations! One
...would swear that such talent is ac-
...tually around loose. She essayed
...the roles of Clarice Vance,
...Nora Bayes, Eddie Foy and Har-
...ry Lauder. Of these, Harry Lauder
...was hailed by popular applause—
...the singing of R—and Ethel
...Barrymore next.
...Then Bates brought forth another
...bit of genius in his "Hawaiian
...Duet." Is this a cluster of young
...maidens from Patty High? Seems so,
...but you may be mistaken. They are
...Messrs. Duque, Erwin Widney,
...Bert Rolfe, Ted Coleman, Richard
...Lambert, Robert Johnson and Robert
...Bonner, and their melodies were voted
...as sweet as Hula, and absolutely
...worthy of a palm-fringed shores
...of the Sunny Kilties.
...Let it be said that certain great shows
...have come out with wonderful cos-
...tumes, but certainly no more ex-
...quisite, no more subtle ming-
...lings of color, no more radiant figures
...in the dance, have ever been
...seen in Los Angeles than by Mrs.
...Bonner's and Mrs. Burton
...Holmes' "Delightful Women," with
..."The Italian Princess," with
...Mrs. C. Wesley Rob-
...inson, the Misses Lucille Clark,
...Ruth Evangeline Gray,
...Dorothy Gertrude King, Mary
...Louise and Helen Clark.
...The most hits of the even-
...ing were the complete encores,
...the "Pianophiend's" act
...by courtesy of Mrs. John G.
Mott and Mrs. Nathanial W. Myrick.

Participants in this almost Wagnerian whirl of melody were the Misses Katherine Johnson, Juliet Borden, Marguerite Drake, May Rhodes, Virginia Walsh and Georgia Off, and the Messrs. Jack Bucklin, Paul Herron, Paul McGuire, Harold Lane, George Zimmer and Paul Bucklin.

One of the quaintest conceits was a rag specialty by Miss Johnson and Mr Bucklin.

Mrs. Walter Miller Clark's "Policeman's Chorus" was a stupendous triumph, and won five encores before the audience would let it go. This is a big number from "The Pirates of Penzance," and was capitally done, with William May Garland as sergeant, and Messrs. Walter Miller Clark, Russell McD. Taylor, Chester Montgomery, Dick Schweppe, Charles Andrews, R. I. Rogers, Guy Cochran, Rae Smith and Van Kaathoven in his valiant "Finest" squad.

A delightful success was scored by Mrs. Charles Dick's "Entertainers"—Miss Katherine Johnson and Arden Day.

Mrs. Allessandro Bodrero, Mrs. J. M. Senni, Miss Gertrude Hanna and Miss Grace Mellus presented living pictures in a beautiful setting, and in a thoroughly dignified and worthy way.

As a finale came the biggest number of the entire show, "The Cafe Chantant," under the auspices of Mrs. Harry Coburn Turner.

This called for a full stage setting, utilized a wealth of floral and furniture decoration, and presented, as the curtain slowly climbed to its disappearing place, a picture of feminine beauty and material loveliness which was absolutely enchanting.

The complete programme in this section included various songs and specialty numbers. Mr. McIntosh was M. Doser, the proprietor, and his waiters were Messrs. Paul Bucklin, Arden Day, Clark Bonner and Tim Horan.

As the last number there was an automobile rush into the middle of the stage, and a big dance by quaintly-costumed men and girls.

One despairing, rosy-cheeked cherub complained and almost wept, just before the entrance, because her Punchinello costume had, in some mysterious manner, lost its drawstring, and she was momentarily threatened with a complete divestment of her filmy garb—and again panic-stricken as it threatened to go over her head and swallow her up entirely. Either calamity would have been dreadful, but with the assistance of a matron from West Adams street, a California clubman, and a couple of stage employees, safety pins and other protective measures were found and applied, and she entered jubilant—and safe.

At the same time a college youth was to be seen crawling on hands and knees under the scenery, overturning pots of artificial flowers, tearing his clothing on wood corners, and bruising his elbows by various contacts—all for a diamond pin which he had lost.

But the stage manager's sharp call sounded, and both he and the distressed ingenue had to fly to action whether or no.

After the last curtain fell, amid great applause, the scene was just as brilliant, just as fascinating, but in an entirely different way.

Very few of the ladies made complete changes of their gowns—what more beautiful toilettes could have been desired even for a regal occasion?—and scores of them were soon ensconced in their touring-cars and limousines for the short ride to the Alexandria, where, for the first time, the big dining-room was opened at night, and the overflow made the Indian Grill merry as a festal morning.

Especial credit should be given to Musical Director William F. Arend, who supported the melodic end of the show as reliably and faultlessly as did Edgar Temple, the technical end behind the scenes.

Mr. Temple, in fact, was forced to make a speech.

Another performance this afternoon, and the great charity will be bountifully concluded.

SHOULD WOMEN ENLIST?

Germany is Agitated Over the Part They Should Take in Next Great War.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] What part women will play in the next great war is a question that is the subject of lively discussion in Germany as the result of suggestions advanced by the Dusseldorf Women's Club, recommending compulsory military service for the weaker sex. According to Frau Privy Councilor Witzler and other leaders of the Dusseldorf organization, the time has come when women might be required by law to fit themselves for duties in the military hospital and commissary departments.

Frau Von Leyden, wife of the famous surgeon and a leader in women's movements, thinks there are many difficulties in the way. "But," she adds, "friends of the compulsory service idea can show good reasons for their position. They can say, for instance, that it is a logical consequence of the demand for equal rights. If suffragettes want votes, they perhaps, ought also to perform military service."

BEGGARS WANT MUCH.

Six Thousand of Them Use the Mail to Ask Mrs. Harriman for Hundred and Twenty Million Dollars.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] If Mrs. E. H. Harriman should answer favorably every letter that she has received in the last year and a half asking for financial aid, the widow of the railroad king would have her fortune reduced $120,000,000. That was the deduction reached after compilation of Mrs. Harriman's letters by the Bureau of Municipal Research. In all she turned over 6000 begging letters to the bureau. The fortune left to Mrs. Harriman by her husband is $149,000,000.

Dr. William H. Allen, head of the bureau, says the writers of 380 of the letters from American addresses alone wanted $69,781,400.37.

Some months ago, Mrs. Harriman took 6000 letters to Dr. Allen for analysis. She had been overwhelmed by appeals and any number of private secretaries could not keep track of them.

TO STOP EPIDEMIC.

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In order to stamp out the epidemic of trachoma, which it is said is gaining much headway in the public schools, a joint meeting of the Board of Education and Board of Health will be held and the plan of inviting Dr. Burnett, chief surgeon of the infirmary at the State University, to this city to make an investigation, will be considered.

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PONDEROUS ISSUES UP.

(Continued from First Page.)

from the White House on the subject, but some persons who profess to understand the President's view declare he will veto any dollar-a-day pension bill and let the political consequences go hang. That has been the Taft attitude—the eliminating of political consideration, in dealing with all questions.

At the same time it is natural to assume that no President, facing a contest for renomination and reelection, hankers for a situation such as threatens the present Executive at this stage. Until recently Congress had been organized in a way that afforded protection to the head of the government in just such cases. But it is far from being so now, with one House in control of the opposition party and the other so constituted that the Republican enemies of the titular party leader hold the balance of power. It is as plain as the face of a town clerk that hostile majorities in Congress relish the embarrassment that confronts President Taft, politically, more keenly than anything brought to notice in many months.

GAME OF STRATEGY.

The Democrats in their game of strategy, appear to have banked on the wisdom of taking the initiative for the old soldier and letting the President receive the damning for whatever final action is taken. The majority of those responsible for the situation do not care so much about the lawmaking results as about putting something up to the President.

Under the old rules such questions could be smothered, thereby relieving members and President alike of much anxiety. One of the first predictions made following the overthrow of the old rules was that a dollar-a-day pension bill would face the lawmakers, who in the main had been dodging it for years.

POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS.

Political considerations of serious character are involved in the proposal to terminate the Russian treaty which it is apparent President Taft must face. This matter will reach him in all probability long before any pension bill passes both Houses.

The signing of an abrogation resolution would meet overwhelming popular approval, but there are questions of international policy which naturally make action especially embarrassing for the executive branch of the government.

MAINE WRECK STAGED.

President and His Cabinet Witness Demonstration of How the Big Battleship Was Destroyed.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—President Taft and his cabinet were given a demonstration today of how the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana Harbor. Rear Admiral Vreeland and Chief Constructor Watt of the Navy, both members of the Maine Investigating Board, staged the show.

A model of the Maine, constructed in Havana and brought here, was placed on the mahogany table in the Cabinet room and Mr. Taft and his advisers watched closely while the two naval officers explained.

First the Maine was shown riding at anchor in Havana Harbor.

Suddenly Admiral Vreeland pulled a string or two and the model battleship was a ruin in exact reproduction of the Maine as she lay on the bottom after the explosion.

TURKS AND ARABS IN PLIGHT.

Have Retreated to Oasis Some Distance from Tripolitan Coast and Are Short of Food.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MALTA, Dec. 15.—The Turkish and Arab forces who have retreated to the oasis at some distance from the coast of Tripoli are in a sorry plight, according to a statement made by a Maltese, who escaped from the Turkish camp and has just reached Malta. He says it will be impossible for the Mohammedan forces to hold out much longer, owing to lack of provisions.

CHARGE DUM DUMS USED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 15.—Officials of the Turkish War office are circulating a complaint that the Italian troops in Tripoli are using dum dum bullets.

Feeling is still running high here against the authorities at the war office and the other ministers who are accused of being responsible for denuding supplies of Turkish troops in Tripoli.

Several bombs are reported to have been discovered at the offices of the Grand Vizier and of the Minister of War.

ACCUSED OF NON-SUPPORT.

Man Travels Widely to Locate Missing Wife and Is Arrested for Abandonment.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON (Cal.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] J. E. Abercrombie of this city considers himself the most unfortunate man in the world. After spending more than $2000 and traveling 40,000 miles searching for his wife and baby, he is now in the County Jail on a charge of failing to support them.

Abercrombie was formerly a wagon manufacturer at Marietta, Ga. After saving up $2000 preparatory to enlarging his shop, his wife deserted him, coming to this city. The husband abandoned his business and traveled over all the United States searching for her. When he reached this city he was practically without a cent. He found his spouse on a farm near here and a reconciliation took place. Several weeks ago he suddenly left his home and was arrested at Madera.

PROFIT IN LAND.

WHITTIER, Dec. 16.—An unusual real estate transaction and one which establishes the fact that land values in this section are rapidly increasing was made recently by J. Howard Johnson of this city. The sale was that of ten acres, on West Hadley street, for Mrs. Elizabeth Lume to Charles C. Barr, a late arrival from Nebraska. The place is set to three-year-old trees, half oranges and half lemons, and was sold by Mr Johnson to Mrs. Lum shortly after the trees were set out, for $10,000. Mrs. Lum sold to Mr. Barr for $26,000, netting her $16,000 in three years. The property is close in and located on one of the best streets in the city. Mr. Barr will improve the newly acquired place for a home.

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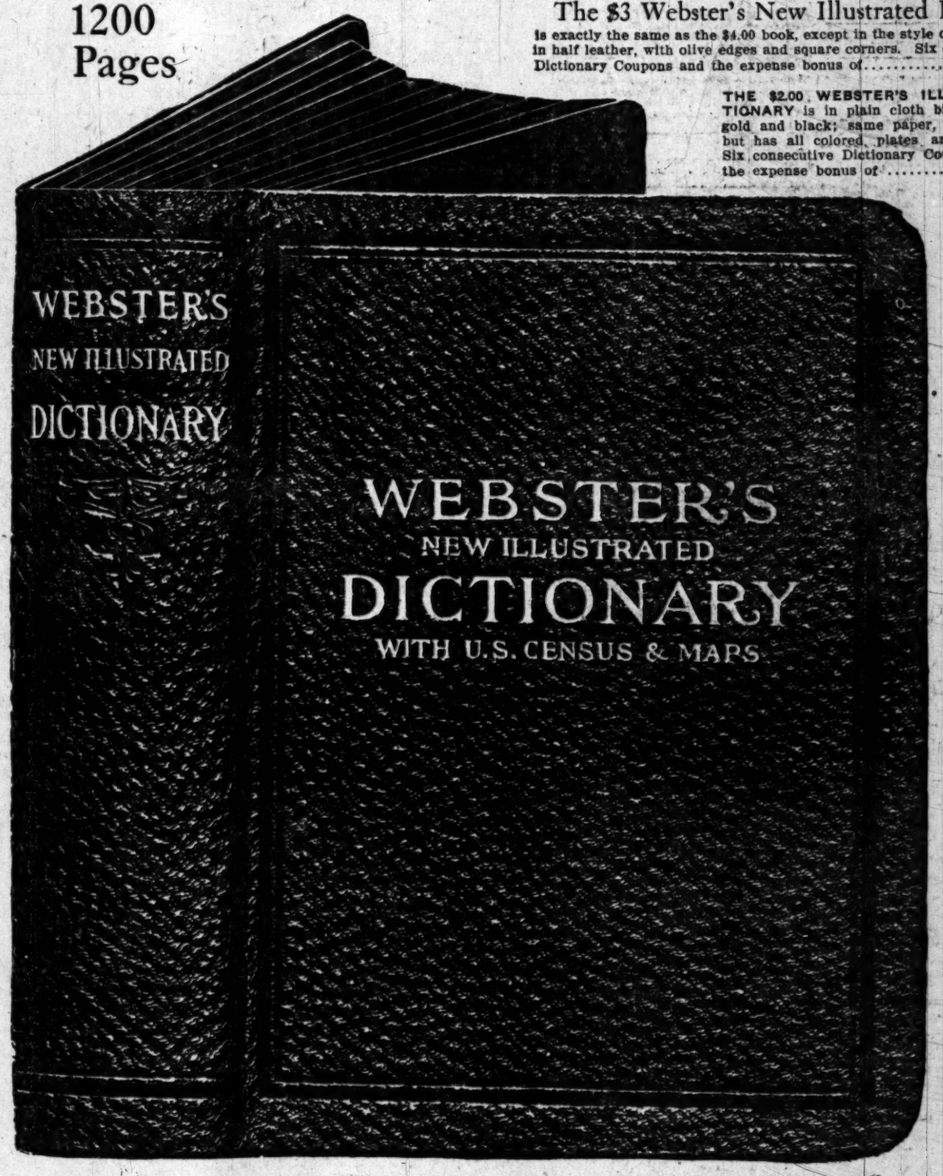

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Twentieth Century Apartment now open. Handsomely furnished, gas light, water, heat, phone, in every suite; in fact, everything to make life worth living; 3 single and 2 double suites vacant; must be seen to be appreciated. Take W. Seventh st. car to Bonnie Brae st.

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Modern 2 and 3, private bath and extra room suites; every convenience included; Westlake section, all new; W. Ninth st. car to Hoover, look south; only $22.50 to $35; worth double (2 vacant.) Tel. 556016. Wilshire 2343. Also THE LUCILE APARTMENTS (near by.) 3-room and bath and extra room, $25 to $30. One vacant now, one on 20th.

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1225 W. SIXTH ST.
Just being completed; new in every way; 2 and 3-room suites; all outside kitchens; automatic elevator, steam heat, hot water, private phone, janitor service, best location in city. Choose your apartment before they are all gone.

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Apartments That Are Different.
New, modern, complete, handsomely furnished, finely appointed dressing rooms, all sunny outside rooms, plenty steam heat and hot water; walking distance, or West Ninth car to Sunbury.

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NEWELL APARTMENTS.
718 S. Alvarado street.
Stone's throw of Westlake Park.
New, modern, complete, handsomely furnished, nice dressing closet in each apartment; plenty steam heat, hot water, phone, etc. Amusement and billiard hall.

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Will open December 11.
One, two and three-room suites.
$12 to $35 per month.
New furniture.
New house.
Never occupied home.

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High-class accommodations, unsurpassed situation, hot water, heating, reasonable terms; ½ block from Westlake Park; Sixth and Seventh st cars. PHONES 53068; WILSHIRE 1436.

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Just opened, walking distance, beautiful view, plenty of sun, handsomely furnished, strictly modern, private telephone with each apartment; rates very reasonable. MAIN 7702, A4963.

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New, modern, complete, handsomely furnished, nice dressing closet in each apartment; plenty steam heat, hot water, phone, etc. Amusement and billiard hall.

TO LET—BIXEL APARTMENTS, WHERE you receive more for your money than any other apartment in the city; all outside sunny rooms, private baths, buffet kitchen, private balconies, phones, steam heat, poolroom, roof garden, etc.; 10 minutes' walk from shopping district, or take First-Sixth st. loop car to 616 BIXEL ST.

TO LET—$12, $16, $18 MONTHLY; LARGE airy, 2 and 3-room furnished apartments, spotlessly clean; immense grounds; paved street. GENEVA, HELVETIA, RAMONA APARTMENTS, 204, 212 and 218 N. Fremont ave. "First and Sixth st. loop car."

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TO LET—
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WESTLAKE DISTRICT. First-class, modern apartments, refurnished and under new management; private 'phone and bath; steam heat; rates reasonable. Both 'phones.

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TO LET—PARK APARTMENTS.
Richly furnished, private bath, 'phone, steam heat, extensive private grounds.
One 3-room suite, very sunny, $50.
One 3-room suite, sunny, $45.
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TO LET—FRANK APARTMENTS,
2632 WEST NINTH STREET.
Best two and three-room apartments in the city, new and modern; private baths, private 'phones; all outside rooms; rates reasonable.

TO LET—COLONIAL APARTMENTS!
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Elegantly furnished, sunny, homelike apartments, private bath, hot water, both phones. $20 to $37.50. Investigate.

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1027 VALENCIA ST.
Nicest of everything for the nicest people. Single and double apartments; large kitchens; running hot water; private baths; steam heat. 'Phone 54909.

TO LET — GOLDEN APARTMENTS, 1130 W. Seventh st. Finest of all apartment hotels; very popular for its special amusement features; billiards, music room, gymnasium, roof garden, sun parlor, automatic elevator, richly furnished; everything new.

TO LET — $17 MONTHLY, 2-ROOM, COMPLETELY furnished apartments, private bath, spotlessly clean, unique, cosy; walking distance. SEATTLE APARTMENTS, 512 W. Fourth st.

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TO LET—ANNABELL APARTMENTS, 515 East 15th st., new building, private baths, furnace heat, hot water. Maple ave. car.

TO LET—LA PRINCESSA; 2 AND 3-ROOM suites; new elegant; ½ block Westlake Park. 717 LAKE ST. 51382; Wilshire 1600.

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One of the most desirable apartment houses in the city for lease, furnished.
This house is thoroughly modern and filled at the present time.
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Rates reasonable.
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TO LET—
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REST RESORT, 20 minutes from Los Angeles, 700 feet elevation; fine canvas bungalows, in orange groves, raise all our own turkeys, chickens, squabs, rabbits, vegetables, fruit, Jersey milk and cream, tub and shower baths. Get off at Damasco Station, Glendale. No tuberculosis. Phone Sunset GLENDALE 70J; HOME 822. City offices, 324 West Sixth st. Main 6707, F3738.

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Central location, one block from Maryland Hotel. Newly furnished rooms, with bath, at moderate prices. Excellent table board if desired. Comfortable and attractive home place. Services available of trained nurse in house.
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TO LET — HOTEL "DEL SOL," 2721 Portland Place. Those desiring a home comfort and unusually fine table, at reasonable rates, will find such by calling at the above address.

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Large sunny room, with good home cooking, heat, phone; everything first-class; nice home for two business women. Address F, box 165, TIMES OFFICE.

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TO LET—BOARD IN NEW SUNNY COTtage in southwest, near car. 619 W. 49TH PLACE.

TO LET — BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED rooms and finest table board, $25; German cooking; walking distance. 1361 S. HOPE ST. Phone 23062.

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Houses.

TO LET—NEW 4-ROOM COTTAGE, WITH bath, gas, electricity; in lovely neighborhood; has refrigerator, gas log, linoleum supplied; strictly first-class; reasonable rent to nice people. Call between 10 and 4:30 at 1825 VAN NESS.

TO LET—$25 MONTHLY, THE MOST ARTIStic, up-to-date bungalow, in very center of city, on Westlake car line; beam ceiling, oak flooring, all built-in features, white enamel kitchen and bath, artistic electric fixtures. Large, airy rooms. MR. CLOSE, 408 W. Sixth st.

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TO LET — UNFURNISHED 7-ROOM BUNgalow, modern, east front, furnace; key next door. 3611 Western ave. Owner on premises week days 10 to 4:30 p.m. Phone evenings, WEST 6293.

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TO LET—$16, 5-ROOM MODERN BUNGAlow, 1 block south of Colegrove car line, 1 block east of Vermont; or will take $2000, $1016 cash, $16 per month. ALLISON BARLOW, 213 S. Broadway. Room 124. A5601; Main 409.

TO LET—8-ROOM MODERN HOUSE ON Normandie ave., near W. Adams car line; responsible parties please call for particulars. 1059 W. 35TH ST., or phone 24654.

WANTED—LIST YOUR FURNISHED AND unfurnished houses with us, the demand is greater than we can supply. MAIN 3795; A2851.

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TO LET—7-ROOM COTTAGE, CLOSE IN, convenient for roomers, stable and barn, for repairing, painting or auto. 831 GOLDEN AVE. Phone 52186.

TO LET — 1702 EAST 19TH ST., 4 ROOMS, bath and toilet, price $14 a month. OWNER, 1126 E. 16th st.

TO LET—
Houses.

TO LET—TILL OCT. 1, 1912, WILL MAKE a sacrifice of my lease on an elegant new house, 2017 La Salle ave.; 9 rooms, two baths, sleeping porch, garage, furnace and Ruud heater; house has southeast exposure; if taken at once, liberal concession will be made. Reason for re-leasing leaving the city. Call between 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m., 2017 LA SALEE AVE.

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2-story 6-room house, 1651 Wilton Place, this is an especially nice house, having just been vacated by the owners, who have been obliged to return East.
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TO LET — $15; UNFURNISHED BUNGALOWS, 1309-11 Court st., modern 3 rooms, 2 disappearing beds, dressing-room, porcelain bath, buffet kitchen, plenty yard room, including water. Key at 1303 Court st. Take Temple st. car to Edgeware, walk south to Court. ELLIS, 401 Story Bldg. A2838. Main 8461.

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TO LET — 3309 SOUTH GRAND, 10-ROOM house, sleeping porches, furnace, garage, partly carpeted. PHONE 23553.

TO LET—NICE 6-ROOM HOUSE, NEW, MODern and convenient, reasonable rent. Call at 215 W. 45TH ST.

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TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, 521 N. ST. LOUIS ST. Brooklyn ave. car. $20 month, water paid.

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TO LET — MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE with yard. Apply 1215 WEST 1TH ST.

TO LET—6-ROOM HOUSE, 1346 CORDOVA. $15 month.

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Furnished Houses.

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TO LET — FURNISHED 5-ROOM BUNGAlow; modern conveniences; cabinet kitchen, fireplace; near South Park, one block from San Pedro-st. car line. Call at 656 E. 52D ST. Telephone South 6962.

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TO LET—FURNISHED COMPLETE SUNNY 9-room house. 1237 MAGNOLIA. Wilshire 1189 for appointment.

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED 5-ROOM cottage, $28. 1315 W. JEFFERSON ST. Phone West 3794.

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TO LET—5-ROOM COTTAGE, FURNISHED, rent $30. SOUTH 5743 or A5862.

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UNION LEAGUE BUILDING
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Two good storerooms for rent. Absolutely fireproof. All modern conveniences.
Office of Building,
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205 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.
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6-Room Modern Bungalows.
One-half block from Eagle Rock yellow car. Has living room, dining room, cabinet kitchen, two bedrooms and large closets. Rear screen porch, standard enamel plumbing fixtures. Gas, too. On sightly lots overlooking a large valley and Elysian Park district. It's really one of those exceptional house offerings that you only find after looking at hundreds. You'd expect to pay several hundred dollars more. Really, you'll be happily disappointed when you see this house. How can you continue to pay rent? Do wake up. Call and see the plans and talk over every feature that you can think of and we'll show you if you desire.
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FOR SALE—
BUNGALOWS.
5 rooms, $2500, $50, $25.
5 rooms, $2500, $100, $25.
5 rooms, $2450, $200, $20.
6 rooms, $2900, $250, $25.
6 rooms, $3000, $200, $25.
6 rooms, $3100, $200, $25.
These bungalows are modern and down to the minute in construction and located in the choice part of the southwest.
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Phone 26624. 1158 W. 54th st.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN.
I own a modern 2-story house located very close to Figueroa and 7th sts., within 5 minutes' walk of Broadway. Rental $40 month. House in A1 condition. Lot worth $7000, spot cash. Will take first payment of $1600; balance payable $50 per month, interest 6 per cent.; price $8600, no less. Absolutely the best buy in close-in property in this city. Address owner, H, box 74, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—4-ROOM BUNGALOW, BIGGEST bargain in southwest, very latest improvements; come out and make us an offer. 54th st. car to Normandie ave., walk south 1 block. 1441 WEST 55TH ST. Will trade for vacant lot. Home Phone 28169.

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If you want to buy real estate in Los Angeles ask us first. We guarantee anything we advertise.
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320 P. E. Bldg. 6th and Main Sts.

FOR SALE — 7-ROOM SWISS CHALET bungalow; best car service in city; all built-in features. Price and terms are right. Come and see owner or phone for particulars, for it must be sold at once. E. C. WILLIAMSON, 372 West 40th Place. Phone 23769.

FOR SALE—A BIG SNAP, $3000.
Must be sold this morning. Modern 6-room cottage on New Hampshire between Pico and Wilshire. Lot 46x128. See me quick. MATHER, with M. M. DAVISON & SON, 316 Trust & Savings Bldg.

FOR SALE — HOUSE OF 8 ROOMS AND bath, basement, furnace and stationary tubs, lot 50x150, east front; ½ block from W. Adams car; no agents. Inquire at house, 2619 HALLDALE, or 502 Merchants' Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—FINEST BUNGALOWS, WILshire district, 208 N. Cahuenga, 8 rooms, $3700, 348 N. Cahuenga, 5 rooms, $3250, 343 N. Cahuenga; 8 rooms, $4000; easy payments; Western ave car to Barrow, 2 blocks east. W. VEEDER, owner, 208 N. Cahuenga. Phone Wilshire 429.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM BUNGALOW of original design and perfectly built; hardwood floors throughout, art glass bookcases, massive brick fireplace, 2 baths, sun parlor, patio with eastern exposure, furnace and garage. Large lot, fine lawn and rose garden. Easy terms. 346 CAHUENGA BLVD.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, on paved street, clear; quarter-sawed oak floors throughout, fine bath and electric fixtures; lot 55x135 to alley; one block from two yellow cars; lawn front and rear, roses, palms, massive pergolas, 12-foot driveway. Price $4300; $1000 cash, balance terms. OWNER, 1062 West 55th st.

FOR SALE — LARGE 5-ROOM MODERN bungalow, $2600; easy terms; $17 month, including interest; fine buffet, plate rails, seats, etc.; up-to-date plumbing, large front porch and screen porch; near two car lines, in beautiful Garvanza. Call Main 7418. LEWIS BROSKWITH, owner.

FOR SALE—$50 DOWN, $25 PER MONTH.
Will build you an up-to-date bungalow on a large lot in a good tract. You may select your lot and we will build precisely as you wish. See WM. P. FLETCHER, 214 American Bank Bldg. Bdwy. 3082, A5409.

FOR SALE — $1700 EQUITY FOR $1400; modern 6-room bungalow, Benton Way, $500 down, balance monthly. Owner, W. E. WADE, 433 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—EQUITY IN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, southwest; must be sold. PHONE 2911.

FOR SALE—
Houses.

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BEFORE BUYING INSPECT THE HOUSES FOR SALE IN WEST PARK SECTION.

TAKE DALTON CAR, GET OFF AT BUDLONG AND W. SANTA BARBARA. IF YOU DO NOT FIND WHAT YOU WANT, WILL BUILD TO SUIT.

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(INCORPORATED.)
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FOR SALE—
BUNGALOW BARGAINS FOR THIS WEEK.
A fine collection of down to the minute homes at small prices and on the easiest of terms. Gas, electricity and all close to schools, stores, churches and yellow cars.
4 rooms, bath, $1650, $100 cash, $15 month.
4 rooms, modern, $1850, $100 cash, $20 month.
5 rooms, modern, $2250, $150 cash, $25 month.
4 rooms, modern, $1650, $50 cash, $15 month.
5 rooms, plastered, $2025, $150 cash, $20 month.
4 rooms, plastered, $1750, $150 cash, $20 month.
4 rooms, modern, $1900, $150 cash, $20 month.
3 rooms, plastered, $1425, $50 cash, $15 month.
I have many other equally as good and will be pleased to show them in my machine.
STERLING W. BANKS,
With Braly-Janss Co., 320 P. E. Bldg.
Main 1371. F8101.

FOR SALE—
A BEAUTIFUL 5-ROOM BUNGALOW.
HOLLYWOOD WAY.
Near the Hollywood High School.
Near car lines, gas, electricity, city. Hardwood floors and built-in features. East front. Right up-to-date. A living-room 13 3-4 ft. long. A buffet 10½ feet long.
$2300—$100 Cash—$35 Month.
It's extra good value and a nobby home. We'll gladly show you plans at office, talk over every feature and arrange to show you too if you'll call and see us. See WARREN F. McGRATH, with WESTERN BUILDING AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, 147 South Broadway. Main 1273. 60195.

FOR SALE—
WALNUT LAWN.
The most beautiful section of Los Angeles. Fine English walnut shade trees on every lot. Near school and stores. Best street car service. Five and six-room modern bungalows, also large residence lots; cash or easy terms. Call 319 S. HILL ST. mornings before 10 o'clock and see Owner.

FOR SALE—THE HANDSOMEST HOME ON beautiful Mt. Washington. Every modern improvement. Superb view. Exquisite grounds. Investigate this. It is a snap. Owner leaving town. Also charming 10-room house in West Hollywood, strictly up to date. Lot 80x190. Barn, corrals, trees and shrubbery. Fine view of mountains and valley. An ideal home. WILL E CHAPIN, Room 600, 430 Broadway. Phone A4154 after 2 p. m.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE AT A BARgain; 10-room modern home, 5c fare, 3 car lines; lot 50x150, or 100x150, east front; if you have a small house, vacant lots or small acreage; will give a good exchange for equity. J. A. DAVIS, Huntington Park, box 25.

FOR SALE — 8-ROOM 2-STORY, CLEAN corner, modern house, in southwest, near Manual Arts School and Exposition Park. Furnished or unfurnished; cash or payments. Owner. West 2431. 217 DELTA BLDG.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM SWISS CHALET, W. 52ND ST., ALL BUILT-IN FEATURES, LAWN IN AND GUARANTEED, NEW HOUSE, JUST FINISHED, SEE THIS ONE. IT IS A SURE SNAP, $3250, $250 CASH, BALANCE MONTHLY. CALL 1201 W. 54TH OR PHONE WEST 1266. 26544.

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN AND VERY artistic 7-room bungalow, fine location, Arlington Heights, rooms all large and beautifully decorated; elegant electric fixtures, all built-in effects, good furnace. Near two car lines; lot 50x140 feet; lawn, flowers, etc. Will sell at a great bargain. WEST 997.

FOR SALE — NEW 5-ROOM MODERN bungalow, fine view, near new college buildings, lot 50x155 feet; one block from car line; the price will startle you; only $1400; just think of it. T. WIESENDANGER, A2043, Main 2043. Mr. Frye, 408 W. Sixth st.

FOR SALE—$3000, THE MOST ARTISTIC new bungalow on high ground, three bedrooms, 2 parlors, kitchen, bathroom, fine grounds, in Westlake district, something altogether new and fine. 403 W. SIXTH ST. Mr. Frye.

FOR SALE — NEW 5-ROOM MODERN bungalow, fine view, near new college buildings; lot 50x155 feet, two blocks from car line; at a price that will startle you; $1400; just think of it. T. WIESENDANGER, A2043, Main 2043. Mr. Frye.

FOR SALE—JUST COMPLETING DANDY FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW in South Hollywood; 16 MINUTES FROM FOURTH and HILL; just full of built-in tricks and thoughtful stunts; BIG LOT, CLOSE TO CAR LINE, and ONLY $2850; ON EASY TERMS. See MR. VISEL, owner, 345 Bradbury Bldg. Third and Broadway.

FOR SALE — ACCOUNT DAUGHTER'S health must go to mountains, therefore sacrificing 5-room cottage, furnished, gas, bath, toilet, electricity, cellar, sewer and street work; fine locality, near schools and 2 car lines; be quick; $2150, $300 cash. Call 4859 COMPTON AVE., Hooper ave. car to 48th Place.

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BRALY-JANSS CO.,
320 P. E. Bldg. 6th and Main sts.

FOR SALE — $2600 MY LOSS YOUR GAIN. 6-room bungalow, partly furnished, southwest, walking distance Exposition Park and new Manual Arts High School. Excellent car service, two lines. Terms, half cash, balance easy. Dalton car. 3349 HALLDALE AVE.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM HOUSE, LARGE CORner lot; must sell; come and see. Price $1675; $300 down, $15 per month, and 5-room modern house, all fenced, large chicken yard, lot 50x182, on two car lines, 5-room modern house; $100 down, $20 per month. Watts car to VERNON AVE., 1683.

FOR SALE—PUMPING PLANT, IN FIRST-class working condition, consisting of windmill (almost new,) tank, pipes, etc., for $75. Must be sold at once, on account of subdivision of property. WM. HAMANN, Hyde Park, Cal. Phone West 5022.

FOR SALE — NICE 5-ROOM FULLY MODern bungalow, in one of the nicest and most convenient neighborhoods in the city. Close to two car lines; a few minutes' to center of city. Deal owner directly. Price reasonable. Call MAIN 4610, except Sunday.

FOR SALE—GOING NORTH.
Elegant, Ardmore ave. home, cost $7500.
Will sell for $6500; some furniture.
Beautiful palms, potted plants, etc.
Must sell by December 19.
No reasonable offer refused. See ALEXANDER, Delta Bldg., 426 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—A WELL BUILT 6-ROOM COTtage, located at 1971 Summit ave., in the high part of Pasadena; has various fruit and nut trees. Price is $3500; $2000 cash, $1500 mortgage. Agents please list.

FOR SALE—SEND FOR OUR NEW PINK list of houses and bungalows. THE M'CARTHY COMPANY, 201 North Broadway. A5941; Main 1202.

FOR SALE — ELEGANT 6-ROOM COTTAGE at 2117 Reservoir st. Make me cash offer; must be sold. SMIDT, the Notary, 326 S. Spring. F3653.

FOR SALE — FINE 5-ROOM BUNGALOW on Central ave. car line; will make low price for all cash or half cash. GEO. F. WHITMORE, 540 Bradbury Bldg. Phone F2224.

FOR SALE—$4000 BUYS THIS MODERN 7-room bungalow, hardwood floors, all built-in features; pivot bed in den; piped for furnace; east front; close to car line; lot 50x175. Phone WEST 5268.

FOR SALE—OWN YOUR OWN HOME. WE can sell you new bungalows just like rent. Come to us and we will show you. H. L. MILLER & CO., 224 W. 6th st.

FOR SALE — MODERN 8-ROOM HOUSE, beamed ceiling, furnace; 15 minutes from town; bargain; $6500; terms. No agents. OWNER, 728 Bryan st.

FOR SALE—
A bargain. 10-room modern residence, half block from Wilshire boulevard, best neighborhood in city. OWNER, 222 Central Bldg. Phone Broadway 1781.

FOR SALE—AT SACRIFICE, BEAUTIFUL bungalow with furnace heat, elegantly furnished. Fine view of mountains. South Pasadena; liberal terms; principals only. Address W, box 296, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—TWO BEAUTIFUL NEW MODern 8-room homes in best part of Wilshire; will be sold at a sacrifice by the owners. Phone EAST 1736, 59144.

Classified Liners.

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FOR SALE—

—$6600—

One-and-half-story 7-rooms and sleeping porch; oak floors downstairs, white maple upstairs; all built-in features; beautiful lawn, garage, lot 50x145; 2 feet above grade; Wilshire district, $2000 cash, balance mortgage; will take good lot in same district up to $2000.

—$6500—

Bungalow, Wilshire district, 7 rooms and den; piped for furnace, all modern conveniences, hardwood floors, corner lot, 50x135; will take good lot up to $2000; cash $2000; mortgage $2500; this is a very cosy little bungalow, and will appeal to you very strongly.

—$10,500—

At this price we are offering one of the most completely finished homes in Los Angeles at $1500 under its actual cash value; located in Wilshire district, 2 stories, 10 rooms, 6 downstairs, 4 bedrooms, and sleeping porch upstairs; east front; standard-size lot; oak floors throughout; furnace; tile bathroom; plastered basement; fine shrubbery; choice roses, garage with turn table and work bench; large cement front porch; massive stone columns; large cedar closet; in fact, everything to make a home complete and comfortable; don't fail to look it over before buying your home, $4500 cash, balance loan at 6 per cent.; can run as long as you desire.

—$7000—

Buys this splendid 8-room modern home; hardwood floors, all built-in features; beautiful buffet, with plate-glass shelves and doors; lot 50x143; east front; 3½ feet above grade; good view; in new district out Wilshire way; well finished in every respect, and very attractive, $4500 cash, balance mortgage.

HARRIS BROS.
with
F. P. NEWPORT COMPANY.
204-9 Central Bldg.
Home 60175. Main 4792.

FOR SALE—

HANDSOME BUNGALOW
20 MINUTES
FROM BROADWAY.
$250 CASH—$30 A MONTH,
INCLUDING
INTEREST.

In restricted district, a few steps from finest automobile boulevard in Southern California. Large lot, graded and oiled street; cement walk and curb. A dandy home—hardwood floors, beamed ceilings and all modern built-in effects. Stop paying rent. Own a home you may be proud of. This district is in line of greatest increase in property values. Come in today—make arrangements to see this home.

JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY,
611-613 S. Hill st.
Home 10345. Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—

WILSHIRE DISTRICT BUNGALOWS.

Two new, elegant and classy 7-room bungalows. The finest in all the fashionable Wilshire district, on Gramercy Place, one-half block from car line, has all modern and up-to-date features, easy terms, like rent. See SOL. DAVIS.

GOLDEN STATE REALTY COMPANY,
623 S. Spring st.
Open Sundays from 9 to 12.

FOR SALE—

In East Hollywood, 1460 Carl ave., a dandy little bungalow. Four large rooms and bath, disappearing bed, polished floors, dining and living room paneled and beamed, bath and bedroom finished in white enamel, cream brick mantel, artistic electrical fixtures. Also screens and shades. Interior finish perfect, cement walks, 2 palms, 50-foot frontage. Price $2300, small payment down, balance monthly, including interest. Another 5-room bungalow ready next week.

PACIFIC HOME BUILDERS,
613 Wright & Callender Bldg.,
Fourth and Hill sts.
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PRICE FOR A FEW DAYS

—$1650—

$100 cash. $15 per month. Including interest.

Dandy bungalow close to car, gas and water. Just the thing for the workingman who wants to save his rent money. You can raise chickens enough to pay for it. Come out and see it.

F. W. BLAKE,
With Braly-Janss Co.,
Stephenson ave. car on 7th to Indiana st.

FOR SALE—

BIG SNAP.

Bungalow 5 large rooms, screen porch, bath, gas heater for hot water, hardwood floors, all built-in effects. East front lot, high and level. All street work paid for.

Price $2250, $150 cash, $25 per month including interest. Come out and let me show you this and other bargains.

F. W. BLAKE,
With Braly-Janss Co.,
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FOR SALE—

Xmas in your own home?
—Why not?
We have the homes—all
ready to move into.
Bungalows, $1600 up—
And some houses, too.

Terms easy—or special discount for cash.

THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
A5941, Main 1202. 201 N. Broadway.

FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL NEW BUNGALOWS:

4 rms., very artistic, $2650; cash $265, $25 mo.
4 rms., high, sightly, $2750; cash $275, $27 mo.
5 rms., beautiful location, $2800; cash, $280, $30.
5 rms., 4 bedrooms, $3000; cash $300, $30 mo.
6 rms., beamed ceilings, paneled walls, $2500.
6 rms., screened sleeping-room, $3000.
8 rms., 2-story, beautiful location, $5000.

T. WIESENDANGER, 408 W. 6th st. A2043, Main 2043. Mr. Frye.

FOR SALE — 6-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW; polished oak floors, beamed ceilings paneled walls in living-room and dining-room, built-in bookcases, cupboards, bins, etc.; 3 large bedrooms, with bathroom connecting, one very large screen sleeping-room; beautiful location, near 3 car lines, 5-cent fare. This is a bargain at $3500. T. WIESENDANGER, 408 W. 6th st. A2043, Main 2043. Mr. Frye.

FOR SALE — A BARGAIN AT $10,000. Between Sixth and Wilshire, and near Vermont; to close an estate; a 9-room house, having 4 bedrooms, servants' room, sleeping porch and breakfast room, together with all modern conveniences. The garage cost $1500. A. A. ALLEN'S Insurance Agency, 306 Wilcox Bldg.

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MODERN BUNGALOW.

Five large rooms and den; lot 90x200, all fenced; east front; lawn and flowers; 20 minutes' car ride.

Price $3600, terms. Owner.

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FOR SALE — $3960. BEAUTIFUL NEW Swiss bungalow, 5 rooms and sleeping porch; hardwood and woodstone floors throughout; craftsman fixtures, mission finish; white enamel bedrooms; kitchen, bedrooms, etc., very artistic; buffet, inglenook, fireplace; every modern convenience; lawns in. Terms or exchange. PHONE 20438.

FOR SALE — CHEAP FOR CASH, A 2-story 7-room house, bath, cement basement, barn, lawn; size lot 50x140; fine appearing house, in the West Adams section. A snap for cash. Address F, box 183, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$2750, BY OWNER, 5-ROOM bungalow, oak floors, buffet, large attractive stone mantel in front room. A bargain. Address R, box 276, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — SOUTHWEST. NICE 8-ROOM 2-story house; easy terms to suit buyer. West 4126. 2107 BUDLONG. Call mornings.

FOR SALE—CAN WE BUILD YOU A COSY bungalow, any kind, any price? EQUITABLE REALTY CO., 323 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—HAVE YOU SEEN OUR NEW plans for four, five and six-room bungalows? EQUITABLE REALTY CO., 323 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—NO USE IN TRYING TO BEAT our $1200 bungalows. They are beauties. EQUITABLE REALTY CO., 323 S. Hill.

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FOR SALE—5-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, 2 lots, Hollywood car; 5-cent fare, $500 cash, balance 8 years; terms. Phone OWNER, 59606 mornings.

FOR SALE—NEW 6-ROOM STRICTLY MODERN bungalow, wall bed, compelled to sell, $3550, easy terms. See owner, 4716 NORMANDIE AVE. Phone 26146 or West 146.

FOR SALE—OWNER HAS SEVERAL 50x150 lots, high ground, restricted tract. Will build 5 or 6-room bungalow to suit your own ideas for $50 down and $25 per month. Address P, box 240, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A SPLENDIDLY BUILT 8-ROOM residence, 2639 MONMOUTH AVE., 1 block west of Hoover. Owner has come from San Francisco to sell this property and will be on premises every day from 10 until 5.

FOR SALE — FURNISHED. IF YOU ARE looking for a nice cosy home, with plenty of roses, shrubbery and fruit trees, call and see this modern 5-room, well-furnished cottage. 203 W. 52ND ST. Moneta-ave. car.

FOR SALE—7-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, College tract, $250 cash, balance like rent. 436 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

FOR SALE—123 WEST 51ST ST., 6-ROOM new bungalow, furnished; at a bargain, SAVAGE, 3908 Trinity st. Phone 29079.

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I DO PAINTING, PAPERING AND TINTING on old houses; also any kind of repairs, very cheap. F. R. BROWN, 1317 S. Bonnie Brae st. W5603, 25361.

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CALL WEST 266 TO GET FIGURES ON any kind of building, or carpenter work. Plans furnished free.

LET WILSON ESTIMATE YOUR CEMENT work. Honest prices. 2311 ANGELICA ST. Main 6187.

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A
$1500
LOT
FOR
$500.

You can buy a home site at low wholesale price by uniting with the Verdugo project now being organized by the Western Empire Magazine. Investigate this pretty little valley only ten miles from the heart of Broadway and one thousand feet above the level of the sea. Each member receives his home site and retains joint interest in adjoining land and other assets. Two profits from one investment. Usually you make profit from the spot you buy and improve and the other fellow makes all the profit on the adjoining lands. You better learn about our nine previous projects and this one. Booklet free. Auto trips on week days. WESTERN EMPIRE MAGAZINE, 100 Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—

EXTRA GOOD LOTS.

At extra low prices. Nowhere else in the city will lots grow into value so rapidly as these. Only 10 minutes from the industrial district with five-minute yellow car service. All improvements in and paid for. 5-foot cement walks, 3-foot parkings, 15-foot alleys, gas, electricity, well built community. In fact, an extra choice vicinity. These lots will grow rapidly into money. Buy one or two now at only

—— $500 ——

$25 CASH —— $10 MONTH.

Automobile is ready whenever you wish to go.

STERLING W. BANKS,
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F6101. Main 1271.

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CITY LOTS $200.

High, sightly lots, within the city limits, overlooking city and ocean, above the dust and smoke; excellent car service, 5c fare. Water piped to each lot. Only $200 and up. $2 down and $2 weekly. No interest, no taxes.

GOLDEN STATE REALTY COMPANY,
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FOR SALE—

CLOSER IN THAN CITY LOTS.

Kenilworth in Glendale, is exactly 25 minutes from Sixth and Broadway. It is the prettiest car ride in town, and seats for everyone. Kenilworth lots are $450, and you cannot equal them in Glendale or anywhere else for less than $800 or more. Best street work included, gas, water and electricity. Why not go out, at our expense? Transportation refunded at Glendale tract office, corner Second and Brand Boulevard. Lots $450, $20 cash, $10 month. No interest or taxes for two years. Handsome booklet of Glendale free by mail.

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EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY,
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GLENDALE'S BIG SUCCESS.

KENILWORTH.

Big fifty lots, 3 blocks from Brand boulevard, and beautifully improved, $450, $20 cash, $10 month. No interest or taxes. Fifty-two lots sold since November 19 of this year. Don't wait too long. Free transportation at Glendale office, corner Second and Brand boulevard.

"It Pays To See Us."
EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY,
222 Laughlin Bldg., 315 Broadway.

FOR SALE—

ARE YOU GOING

TO RENDALIA ACRES, Sunday, December 17? Free excursion. Details at our offices.

NATIONAL HOME AND TOWN BUILDERS
1011-19 Trust and Savings Bldg.
Sixth and Spring F3180. M. 1362.

FOR SALE — LOTS ARE SELLING LIKE hot cakes, more so than in the boom; get in line at our office and by some El Segundo lots and make some money; prices from $350 up; $10 down and $10 per month. Drop $10; pick up $5 quick, if you miss it you miss it. See H. L. MILLER & CO., 324 W. Sixth st.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN. CORNER LOT, 65x167 and two lots adjoining each 50x160. Street work paid, water, cement sidewalks, located on car line, 29 minutes to center of city. West side, close to Washington st., $1200; will take $300 cash, easy terms, 6 per cent., will double in year. Address T, box 165, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—4 LARGE LOTS, HIGH, LEVEL, close to three car lines, fine soil, between Washington and Pico streets, outside of city limits. Street work paid. Water. Snap. $400 each. $100 cash, terms. Address T, box 125, TIMES OFFICE.

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BRALY-JANSS CO.,
320 P. E. Bldg. 6th and Main Sts.

FOR SALE—$1 DOWN AND $1 PER WEEK BUYS LOTS ON THE LONG BEACH LINE, 15 MINUTES FROM SIXTH AND MAIN STS. EASY TERMS.

HOHENSTEIN REALTY CO.,
321 GROSSE BLDG.
F3225. MAIN 1367. 6TH AND SPRING STS.

FOR SALE—

WE HAVE THE BARGAINS.

If you want to buy real estate in Los Angeles ask us first. We guarantee anything we advertise.

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320 P. E. Bldg. 6th and Main sts.

FOR SALE—$1500, LOT ON SOUTH UNION avenue, north of Sixth street; $400 down, balance one, two and three years, 7 per cent.; 20 minutes' walk downtown; six blocks from Westlake Park. A bargain. CLIFFORD G. MOORE, with OSCAR B. SMITH, 312-314 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE — $1750, LOT ON FRANCISCO avenue, near Vermont, 40x136; high and sightly; must be sold at once. CLIFFORD G. MOORE, with OSCAR B. SMITH, 312-314 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—A FEW CHOICE LOTS IN A new townsite, at $10 each, not more than 5 lots to any one person; no restrictions. For further information inquire 404 HENNE BLDG. A1212.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—

CHOICE BUILDING LOTS,
$25 CASH AND $10 A MONTH

$550	50x150
$600	45x170
$650	51x150
$700	50x175
$750	50x150

Only 20 minutes from First and Broadway, on fast electric car line. High and healthful, with every city convenience; cement walks and curbs, gas, electricity, water and tree-lined graded streets. Bargains for building or investment. Buy one and take advantage of the steady increase of prices in this district. Located in beautiful Sierra Park, on magnificent Huntington Drive. Pretty homes on adjoining property. Place $10 a month here and own one of these splendid lots. Best buy in suburban Los Angeles.

Come to the office. We are pleased to show the property. To see is to buy. The choicest locations are going fast. Come in today.

JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY,
611-613 S. Hill st.
Home 10345. Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—

BUILD A HOME
Where Flowers Bloom
and Fruit Trees Grow.

Buy a 100-foot lot at Mission Court, 186 feet deep, that gives you a splendid opportunity for your own garden, your own chickens, your own comfort and your own independence. Just think—$500 will buy such a lot here and at only $10 down and $10 per month. MISSION COURT is near the Covina car line, giving you rapid transit within a few minutes' ride of Los Angeles. Graded streets and the pure water supply; the climate, the elevation, the soil, the surroundings—all of these mark MISSION COURT as your home site. If you want a large lot at a low price, on easy terms, here's your opportunity.

EMIL FIRTH,
346 South Broadway.
Home 60167. Main 2543.
"You're Safe at Firth's."

FOR SALE—

A LARGE LOT,
IN THE BEAUTIFUL SOUTHWEST,
WHERE THE CITY IS DEVELOPING
AND VALUES ARE GROWING.

In the center of the greatest real estate activity, where houses are going up in large numbers, under reasonable restrictions. Yellow car line. Gas and electricity. Good substantial street improvements, parkings properly planted and all modern conveniences at hand. There you will find fair values steadily increasing. ARLINGTON SQUARE offers just those inducements at as low as $725 for a full sized lot. The view, the location, the surroundings—all of these are ideal. Arlington Square adjoins New Vermont Square. Some of the choicest lots at reasonable prices anywhere near Los Angeles.

EMIL FIRTH,
346 South Broadway.
Main 2543. Home 60167.
"You're Safe at Firth's."

FOR SALE—

CITY PROPERTY—A BARGAIN COUNTER.

On Pasadena ave., 122 feet frontage, some improvements; a corner; worth $9600. Savings bank appraisement, $8500. For a quick sale right now and all cash it will be sold for $3500 for the equity. You can afford to hold it for years and it will double. See me quick.

F. D. CORNELL COMPANY,
642 Consolidated Realty Bldg.
Main 8477. F3497.

FOR SALE—

FINE BUILDING LOTS—GET BUSY.

50x155,	high, sightly, near college	$1000
35x155,	high, sightly, near college	$750
40x125,	corner business lot, near college	$1100
1 acre,	finest view in California	$1500
60x150,	corner, Sunset blvd.	$1650
40x150,	corner, W. 16th, business	$1500

T. WIESENDANGER, 408 W. Sixth st.
A2043. Main 2043. Mr. Frye.

FOR SALE — 50x150 LOT, ELEVATION 720 feet; ½ block from car line; only 20 minutes from center of town. Level; and gas, electricity, water and both phone service at command; surrounded by beautiful flowers; great view. Only $700. Terms easy; $10 down and $10 per month. C. PAULSEN NISEL, 345 Bradbury Bldg., 3rd and Broadway.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR something good, I have 22 lots on car line, best service, 40x100 feet to 13-foot alley; plenty of water, raise anything, $250 each, $10 down, $10 a month. Address owner, C. box 70, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — GOOD CORNER LOT 50x145 to alley, on Coronado st., 2 short blocks south of Sunset Blvd., only $1250. 321 WILCOX BLDG.

FOR SALE—FINE WILSHIRE LOT, 60x150; high, superb view; north side Seventh st.; fourth lot west St. Andrews; $2500; easy terms. OWNER, 516 Federal Bldg. 60011, Sta. 49.

FOR SALE — BETWEEN 16TH AND PICO, lot 50x190, cheaper than anything around; $500 will handle. Address W, box 238, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$2300, BEAUTIFUL CORNER, ON Kingsley Drive. People want to leave city and must sell at once. CLIFFORD G. MOORE, with OSCAR B. SMITH, 312-314 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—½ ACRE, CLOSE TO VENICE short line, high, level, water, 2½ miles from city limits. Snap, $650, $150 cash, balance 6 per cent. Terms. Address T, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE—BARGAIN. Lot off Temple, terms, unrestricted; will trade for lot, south or west, or give as first payment to contractor to build small store. PHONE 26445.

FOR SALE—TEN ACRES IN CITY, FRONTING Effie street, and Park Way, overlooking Silver Lake; five acres at La Canada; 320 acres at Mt. Wilson Half-way House. WILL D. GOULD, Temple Blk. Phone Main 2177.

FOR SALE—LOT ON HIGH GROUND, IN Garvanza, $750, street and cement work completed, terms to suit buyer. Owner, Address C, box 65, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL CHOICE LOTS, IN Angeles Mesa tract, at a bargain. Apply 452-453 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—LOTS NO. 734 AND 735 IN Tract 911, at Angelus Mesa. Address 969 EL PASO ST., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN, ARAPAHOE AND 10th st., 65x142, east front lot; $3200; half cash. PHONE 21875.

FOR SALE— Acreage for Subdivision.

FOR SALE—

MR. INVESTOR OR SUBDIVIDER.

HERE'S AN OPPORTUNITY
TO BUY A GREAT BIG BARGAIN
IN 60 ACRES—CHOICE
AND RIPE FOR SUBDIVISION,
FRONTING A QUARTER OF A
MILE ON HAWTHORNE
—YELLOW CAR LINE—
REMEMBER THAT $1000 PER ACRE
—BUYS THIS TODAY—
QUICK ACTION NECESSARY.
SEE MR. FARISH,
MINES & FARISH,
353 S. HILL ST.

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FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE — BRICK BUILDING, SANTA Monica, in first-class condition, a 10 per cent. investment. Property increasing steadily in value. Rare chance for good safe income bearing investment. $30,000. See F. H. TALLE, 221 Kerckhoff Bldg. Main 227; Home 10527.

FOR SALE—ROOMING HOUSE, 15 MINutes from Third and Spring sts., net income $85 month; price $12,000, $6000 cash, balance mortgage, 6 per cent. Inquire JONES, 623 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. F6677.

FOR SALE— Income Property.

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FOR SALE — GOOD INCOME PROPERTY, choice corner, very close in; pays better than 12 per cent. net. 408 W. SIXTH ST. Mr. Frye. A2043, Main 2043.

FOR SALE — IF 10 PER CENT. NET INcome and close-in property will suit you, see FIX, 147 N. Spring.

FOR SALE— San Francisco Real Estate.

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FOR SALE—$125,000 HOTEL, BEAUTIFULLY furnished, overlooking World's Panama-Pacific Exposition site. This is a gilt edge investment that has true merit. A strictly high-class hotel, located on a corner in the most fashionable residence district in San Francisco. Pays big on investment. On account of location and large income this property brings in, a big mortgage can be secured if necessary. Write for catalogue giving full particulars. Address OWNER, 370 Monadnock Bldg., San Francisco.

FOR SALE— Industrial Property.

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FOR SALE — FACTORY SITE AND NEW building 40x100; one acre of ground; trackage at door; terms. Address G, box 363, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—

RAMONA ACRES.

ADJOINING THE

NEW "VALLEY COUNTRY CLUB."

A WHOLE ACRE
FOR THE COST OF A
CITY LOT.

Live out in the open at Ramona Acres, in the beautiful San Gabriel Valley, surrounded by orange and lemon groves. Los Angeles is fast growing valley-ward—rapidly increasing every foot of this splendid acreage. Get in now—own one of these acres. Only 20 minutes from First and Main. Every convenience, gas, water, cement walks and curbs, oiled streets and tree-lined parkways.

$750 AN ACRE

AND UP,

ON EASY TERMS.

TO GO—Take car marked "Covina Line" in Pacific Electric Building, or anywhere on Main st. to First st. Get off at Garfield ave. Salesman will meet you there with carriage to show the property. Or come to this office for free transportation. Our tract agent is on the property from 8:30 a.m. until arrival of the car leaving the city at 4:10 p.m.

JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY,
611-613 SOUTH HILL ST.
Home 10345, Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—

S-E-E

V-A-N N-U-Y-S

THE NEW TOWN.

FOR—FINE BUSINESS OPENINGS
GILT-EDGED INVESTMENTS
IDEAL HOME SITES
LIBERAL BUILDING DISCOUNTS
EASY TERMS

S-E-E

THE VAN NUYS-LANKERSHIM 47,000 ACRES.

Only 4½ miles from the city limits of Los Angeles, where fruits and vegetables are grown without irrigation. Ranches 2½ acres and up.

If you wish to see one of the finest boulevards in the world, come to Van Nuys headquarters, 319 South Hill street, and go out with us, via scenic Cahuenga Pass, and over the $500,000 boulevard—Sherman way.

GO OUT TODAY while the present low prices prevail—before the increase in prices goes into effect. It will be a revelation to you in town-building.

FREE AUTOMOBILES leave VAN NUYS HEADQUARTERS, 319 South Hill street, 9 a.m. and 2 p.m., every day.

Trains leave Arcade Depot, 7 a.m. and 1 p.m. daily; 9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Sunday.

W. P. WHITSETT,
Sales Manager Van Nuys,
319 South Hill street.

FOR SALE—

10 ACRES
—ON—
—$500,000—
WORLD'S FAMOUS BOULEVARD
—AND—
ELECTRIC CAR LINE.
$550 AN ACRE. ATTRACTIVE TERMS.

Only a few such chances left to own a country estate or home ranch on this boulevard. Now is the time to buy. In a few weeks the electric cars will be running. Prices are bound to advance. Scores of magnificent homes are now under construction. Thousands of acres are being planted to fruit and vegetables. The soil, a rich brown loam, produces big crops without irrigation. Own a money-making country home. The terms are easy. Come out and see property today.

JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY,
611-613 South Hill street.
Home 10345. Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, ABOUT 17 ACRES of fine level land, already subdivided into lots of 50x150 and 55x150 to alley, water piped to every lot; trees planed all around this tract; 1500 feet of this tract fronts on boulevard and electric car line, every car stops in front of tract; 15 minutes' ride from First and Main sts.; $7000 for public school site already bought, adjoining this tract; all streets graded and sidewalks and curbings in. This tract is situated close to the new Valley Country Club, actually spending over $500,000 in improvements. My property is free and clear. Will sell part cash, balance terms, with proper release clause. Remember this tract is all improved and only 15 minutes' ride from city.

See A. D. CAJAL, Owner,
Room 1003 Broadway Central Bldg.

FOR SALE—

AN
AUTO TRIP
THRU THE
FOOTHILLS.

Our lot buyers' auto trip leaves Chamber of Commerce Bldg., 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. week days. Route through Garvanza, San Rafael Heights, Orange Grove avenue, Pasadena, thence around north slope of San Rafael hills through beautiful La Canyada Valley and return to city via Verdugo and Glendale and Hollywood. Time two hours and shows you the one big and best investment or home-making opportunity of the year. Book your seats early. Round trip in big 7-passenger car only 50 cents. Take this delightful autumn drive through the foothills. WESTERN EMPIRE MAGAZINE, 100 Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles. Telephones 60463; Main 762.

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FOR SALE—

RENDALIA ACRES

Will be opened to the public December 17. Special excursion leaving our offices at 9:00 o'clock a.m. Make reservation for free transportation today. Quarter and half-acre lots, $225 and up. No interest, and no taxes. Your own terms.

NATIONAL HOME AND TOWN BUILDERS
1011-19 Trust and Savings Bldg.
Sixth and Spring. M. 1362. F3180.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—

LANKERSHIM ACRES.

ONLY 4½ MILES FROM LOS ANGELES.

$300 AND UP

AN ACRE WITH WATER.

EASY TERMS.

A FEW ACRES AND INDEPENDENCE.

1, 2, 3, 4 and 5-acre tracts.

EVERY ONE COVERED WITH

FRUIT TREES.

Go out and see the development going in on every side, and the many sales of acres made daily.

You will be surprised at the improvements. Just watch Lankershim Acres, if you are in the land of the living when the new car is in operation and you will see something you will never see again.

Buy this land and in a short time you will be rewarded with the largest profits you have ever dreamed of.

Every acre of our land is covered with peach and apricot trees, which pay $300 per acre. You can also plant potatoes or onions between the trees and make $250 an acre. This makes a total of $550, or a profit of $162.50, which is the first payment on the land, or one-fourth of the purchase price.

Joseph Kleinhen is just harvesting a full crop of potatoes which were planted last August. From five acres he is getting 298 sacks per acre, or 1490 sacks. At the present market price this crop is worth $2.00 per sack, or $2980 from five acres, $596 from one acre.

Come to our office today and go with us to see this land.

PATTON & LONGLEY COMPANY (Inc.),
330 SOUTH HILL STREET.
A2318. MAIN 6278.

FOR SALE—

THE BREAD LINE

never contains men who have looked forward—men who have anticipated progress and development; men who have taken advantage of opportunities. Hundreds of fortunes have been made in Los Angeles. Men who have invested in new subdivisions at opening prices and taken the consequent rapid increase in value because of development. How about you? Rendalia Acres, beautifully located, 30 minutes from Broadway, will be opened for sale Sunday, December 17th. The number of lots in this subdivision is limited, and the owners who see quickly are sure to make big profits, whether as investment or in realizing handsomely from the rich, warm silt loam soil, and fine artesian water. $10 cash, $10 per month, at Rendalia, will buy you quarter and half-acre lots at $225 and up. This is a REAL opportunity. You can be ahead of the van if you go out with us before opening day. If you cannot go today, be sure to come with us December 17th. Free transportation at this office. Call or phone for reservation, and be one of the first at this time.

NATIONAL HOME AND TOWN BUILDERS,
1011-19 Trust & Savings Bldg.
Sixth and Spring. F3180, Main 1362.

FOR SALE—

40-FOOT LOTS ON LONG BEACH CAR LINE.

25 minutes from Sixth and Main, only $175 each, terms $2 down and $2 weekly. Artesian water piped to each lot—car service unexcelled. Finest of soil and located on the new boulevard to the sea.

GOLDEN STATE REALTY COMPANY,
623 S. Spring st.
Open Sundays from 9 to 12.

FOR SALE — AN INVESTMENT WORTH while is what you are looking for and we're sure there's none so sure as one or more acres, located in line of the city's growth—Panama Acres Tract is located just west of Shoestring Strip, near Vermont ave., extending over to Western ave., on high ground, overlooking Gardena and Strawberry Park, in sight of lots selling for the price of our acres; $700 up to $1000. We thirds sold and demand is big, better get in at present prices, which will be advanced in a few days. They're very much undervalued compared with other offerings. Easy terms may be arranged. Good soil, water piped; near cars. Just beyond the city lots and sure for big advance in value. Call and get map and see location on city maps. Get busy and share in the great advance in values growing in Los Angeles. See WARREN F. McGRATH, with STRONG & DICKINSON, 147 South Broadway. Main 1273; 60190.

FOR SALE — JUST A SHORT TIME IN which you can buy an acre for $700, between Vermont and Western avenues, three miles south of Manchester, in Panama Acres Tract. It's the only real desirable acreage southwest of the city, for any such price, with so many advantages. Sandy loam soil, artesian water piped. Land high and level with fine view. Just outside the city limits and just beyond the city lots. It's sure for big advance in value. Beautiful view. Near cars on Vermont ave. Yellow car within half a mile north. Easy terms. Ten per cent. cash, will handle an acre or more. Great profits are sure for every investor, and price will advance very soon. See WARREN F. McGRATH, with STRONG & DICKINSON, 147 S. Broadway. Main 1273; 60190.

FOR SALE—

B-A-R-G-A-I-N.

I have a very choice 5-acre piece just south of Van Nuys, on Sherman Way, the $500,000 boulevard, with water piped, which I will sell at a bargain. Street improvements; parking of ornamental shrubbery, etc., in and paid for. 319 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—I HAVE A SELECT 5-ACRE place just south of Van Nuys on Sherman Way, the $500,000 boulevard, with water piped, which I can sell at a bargain. Street improvements and parkings of ornamental shrubbery in and paid for. 319 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—A CHANCE TO PURCHASE A high class gentleman's home (no income property,) without cash except commission if well secured, 4 acres, Brand boulevard. Owner must change residence. Apply MRS. A. W. CANFIELD, Casa Verdugo, Cal.

FOR SALE—$125 AN ACRE, 40 ACRES ORange land, 16 miles from Los Angeles, on county road, between El Monte and Covina. You can't beat it. MR SHARP, with CATE & HENDERSON, 202 Mercantile Place.

FOR SALE—2 ACRES, HOUSE, BARN, windmill, 17 miles out of L. A., on car line. GILLIAM & COGGINS, 356 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE — VERY CHEAP. TWO-ACRE paying orange and lemon grove; the prettiest thing in Sierra Madre. Every city convenience is here; two blocks from postoffice; could be subdivided at once for $7500. Will sell for $4500. Come quick. A. S. MEAD, Sirrea Madre.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE — 2 ACRES, corner, on Cudahy Ranch. BROADWAY 536.

FOR SALE—ONE ACRE NEAR CAR LINE, Ramona Acres, cheap. Terms. TEL. 24471.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

Glendale.

FOR SALE—

IN
THE
GREEN
NORTH
HILLS OF
GLENDALE.

The Verdugo project by the Western Empire Magazine is now open for charter membership. Each member secures a full 50 by 150 foot lot with all improvements paid and becomes jointly interested in the adjoining land upon an investment of $500. There are two profits from this one investment. You can retain your home place and take your profits from the adjoining lands in which by your activities you help create greatly enhanced values. There are 1000 families joining this Tenth Club under the auspices of the Western Empire Magazine. You get a $1500 lot for $500 in the highest class district suburban to Los Angeles.

Failure to investigate will mean a serious loss of opportunity to you.

WESTERN EMPIRE MAGAZINE,
100 Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—GLENDALE.

If you are looking for a well-built, up-to-date home, all conveniences, see J. H. FLOWER, 501 Central ave., Glendale.

5-room bungalow, corner lot, 50x150, 7-room, 2-story Swiss chalet and garage, corner lot, 50x150, 2 blocks from cars; terms.

1 lot, 70x250, fine for chickens; will build house to suit if desired.

FOR SALE—WE OFFER THE BEST BARgains in acres, houses, lots and exchanges. Call or write office, No. 310 BRAND BLVD., Glendale, Cal. Parker & Sternberg.

Eagle Rock.

FOR SALE—

BARGAINS IN EAGLE ROCK.

The Edwards & Wildey Company are the oldest and biggest real estate firm in Eagle Rock. They have grown as Eagle Rock has grown—steadily and safely. Their Eagle Rock business has almost reached the two million dollar mark, and it has attained this enormous total because their clients have received courteous treatment and have made money.

We now give fair warning that PRICES WILL ADVANCE in Eagle Rock in less than sixty days. We are not indulging in far-fetched optimism—we are not urging any one to buy—but are simply stating a fact—ALL THE DESIRABLE PROPERTY IN EAGLE ROCK WILL MAKE A HEAVY ADVANCE IN LESS THAN SIXTY DAYS.

"It Pays To See Us."
EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY,
222 Laughlin Bldg., 315 S. Broadway.

Two Branch Offices in Eagle Rock. H. S. BOURNE, Manager. Take Eagle Rock cars on Spring street.

Pasadena.

FOR SALE — PASADENA BARGAIN, ON beautiful large corner, close in; lot 74x220; 10-room house, garage, hardwood floors, lawn, flowers and trees; price $5500 to close an estate; lot alone worth the money. CHAS. D. SNYDER, Pasadena, 538 Chamber of Commerce.

Alhambra.

FOR EXCHANGE — BEAUTIFUL ALHAMBRA bungalow, 5 rooms, modern; lot 50x150; 10 orange trees, rose bushes and other shrubbery; $2500; $500 cash, balance can be arranged. MOHR, 302 Stimson Bldg.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—ALHAMBRA, bungalow, new, fine location, 6 rooms and bath; best part of town. Will take lots as part payment. Phone A2186. HOLWELL, 223 Lissner Bldg.

HOLLYWOOD— For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE—SEE THIS ONE.

On beautiful Beachwood Drive. Finest residence section of Southern California. 100-foot street, 30-foot parkways; high elevation, ideal location. You must see it to appreciate it. Lot 126x217, fine walnut, fig and almond trees. Owner must sell and will sacrifice from $5 to $10 per foot less than other property on street. Inquire 470 BEACHWOOD DRIVE.

FOR SALE — HOLLYWOOD PROPERTY only. We live there and know values. Call for free maps and folders. C. H. LIPPINCOTT & CO., 613 Fay Bldg., Los Angeles. F8766, Broadway 453. Hollywood Branch Office, opposite De Longpre's (east.)

FOR SALE—10-ROOM HOLLYWOOD HOME, elegant grounds. Bargain. BOX 36, Long Beach.

FOR SALE— Beach Property.

Wilmington.

FOR SALE—HERE ARE TWO SNAPS.

Double clean business corner on E. Seventh st., best location in Wilmington for stores or apartments, and large lot with double frontage; cottages on this lot would rent at once. Will sacrifice one or both for quick sale. Address G, box 320, TIMES OFFICE.

Venice.

FOR SALE—IN VENICE ANNEX NO. 1, have four lots, all fine locations; am trading for same and will sell cheap for best cash offer quick. HOME A2312, or call 546 California st.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE — GOOD FARM TRACT, 900 acres diked tideland; 300 acres upland; all thoroughly drained. Will furnish food for 400 head cattle. Land especially adapted to dairying and accessible to good market. Good water, house and barn just completed, costing $6000. Bounded on two sides by county road. One mile from schools and P. O. Lies suitable to be divided into small tracts if so desired. Price $100 per acre, part cash, terms on balance; no commissions. If interested correspond immediately with owner, GEORGE W. WARREN, Vice-President, Astoria National Bank, Astoria, Oregon.

FOR SALE—ONTARIO DISTRICT—
—CHINO DISTRICT—
—ONLY $232 ACRE—

29 acres with water, located near Ontario, on a fine corner, all has been in cultivation this year; is level, in fine condition, all under cement pipe lines, fine for alfalfa, peaches, corn or garden truck, this is first class; no alkali or hardpan. This is a forced sale (no exchange.) Terms on part. See E. A. MORGAN, 104 South Thomas street, Pomona, (Exclusive Sale.)

FOR SALE—

At a bargain; 35 acres in tracts to suit; below value; $160 per acre; easy terms. A-1 alfalfa land in San Jacinto artesian water belt; good location, close in. Can be made a fine income paying property. Particulars,

DOW-SMITH CO.,
230 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—

ARE YOU GOING

TO RENDALIA ACRES, Sunday, December 17. Free excursion. Details at our offices.

NATIONAL HOME AND TOWN BUILDERS
1011-19 Trust and Savings Bldg.
Sixth and Spring. F3180. M. 1362.

FOR SALE — ONE OF THE FINEST medium-sized stock and dairy ranches in the State; improvements are of the best; free water right; for complete information see

F. K. GROVES & SON,
Home 39786. South Pasadena. Main 836.

FOR SALE—GOOD AGRICULTURAL LAND, within 100 miles of Los Angeles, one to six miles from railroad; water easily accessible; $5.50 to $10.50 per acre; easy terms; best investment on the market today. See TUFFREE, with H. L. MILLER & CO. 324 W. Sixth st.

FOR SALE—23-ACRE FARM—

Level, alluvial soil for fruit, berries and alfalfa; abundant water, ideal home site; 1 mile from Live Oak, Sutter county, $160 per acre. MRS. VERNON HANDLEY, Exeter, Cal.

FOR SALE — BY OWNER, 320 ACRES OF fruit and alfalfa land for Los Angeles city or country improved property. B. G. BEDIG, 1003 E. Washington st.

FOR SALE—A 4-ACRE RANCH, ALL SET to fruit, with 5-room house, barn, chicken house for 700 chickens. At 240 MOORE AVE., Tropico.

FOR SALE— 200 ACRES, NEAR RIVERside, good alfalfa or potato land, pumping plant, buildings; some alfalfa. Would accept some Los Angeles property, or easy terms. Price $120 per acre; no agents. P. F. MAHNN, Armada.

FOR SALE—60 ACRES NEAR SANTA ANA car line, at a bargain; can be bought on easy terms. CLIFFORD G. MOORE, with OSCAR B. SMITH, 312-314 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN A FINE hog and dairy ranch in the best location in Southern California. Want man who will manage ranch. This is an excellent investment and it will pay you to investigate. CLIFFORD G. MOORE, with OSCAR B. SMITH, 312-314 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—10-ACRE PEACH ORCHARD AT Ontario; can sell fruit on trees for $50 per acre at a low price; an excellent investment; only $2500. C. G. MOORE, with OSCAR B. SMITH, 312-314 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—37 ACRES, BETWEEN PALMS and Del Rey; $400 per acre. JAMES P. WARD, Fourth st., Palms.

HOTELS—ROOMING HOUSES—
For Sale, Lease, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—50-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE.

An unusual opportunity for small investment, with personal services.

Net returns for past two years have averaged over 50 per cent. of asking price, per year. A remarkable showing.

Owner will sell on an actual inventory, with liberal depreciation for present cash value.

Age, and other interests needing attention, cause of selling.

Location, elegant residential section, few minutes' ride from business center; no competition.

Long lease; low rental.

You will look long for anything as good and as honestly priced as this.

Owner will give you the benefit of his years of experience, and will prove by his books and bank deposits the worth of this proposition.

Will consider good realty for part or all. Act quickly. It won't last long.

See Mr. Coombs,
CALIFORNIA REALTY CORPORATION,
Home 60286, Main 2888.

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FOR SALE—ROOMING HOUSE ON EAST Fifth street, two-year lease, $1600; always full; $2000 will handle. FRITSCHE, Room 312 Copp Bldg., 218 South Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—If you want to buy or exchange your property for a rooming house, call at our office and let us take you around in our machine and show you some of our bargains. MR. HOPKINS, with F. B. BAER & CO., 715 Story Bldg., Sixth and Broadway.

WANTED — I HAVE 3 BUYERS WAITING for close-in flats, 5 to 10 rooms each. What have you to sell? The furniture must be absolutely good and thoroughly clean. I also have 2 buyers for good money-making apartment houses. One buyer for straight family or commercial hotel up to 100 rooms. Don't submit any dirty or rundown houses, but if you have something good and clean to offer at the right price call 516 S. HILL ST., or Phone Main 1355, F2472. Ask for Miss Clark.

FOR SALE—16-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE, low rent, good lease, 5 minutes from Fifth and Broadway. Call at once. Bargain. Owner, 453 S. FLOWER ST.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND LEASE OF a 5-room flat, newly and nicely furnished, close in, rent $20 per month, must sell at once. PHONE A3988.

FOR EXCHANGE—30-ROOM HOUSE, 3 year lease; want larger or bungalow. JONES, 693 Westlake ave. 51640; Wilshire 2356.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

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FOR EXCHANGE—BUSINESS PROPERTY. Wanted first-class securities or residence building lots for 224 feet of choice business frontage on S. Park ave. This is 130 feet to alley and includes two corners. TIFAL BUILDING & INVESTMENT CO., 706 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$35,000—Fine hotel structure in thriving beach town; entire block of 12 lots, 50x100 each, facing ocean, pier and bathhouse. Building is 3 stories and contains 50 rooms, now operated by owner. Want San Joaquin acreage, improved or unimproved, about equal value.
R. C. CUMMINS,
1006-8 Union Trust Bldg.
Main 3951. A5803.

FOR EXCHANGE — BUSINESS PROPERTY $90,000 equity, large double corner, close-in; pays over 7½ per cent. NET income. Want bungalow lots or close-in subdivision acreage. See E. H. HOFF, with BRALY-JANSS CO., 320 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

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FOR EXCHANGE — OWNER HAS NEW modern 6-room bungalow, Wilshire district; never occupied; price $4500, to exchange for land in the country or lot east of Vermont, between Fourth and Eighth, of equal value. Might pay some difference. This property is first-class; so don't submit old junk or inflated values. Address E, box 376, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$3200 EQUITY IN MAGNIFICENT 9-room and bath, corner residence, in the heart of the exclusive Wilshire section, for land in Riverside or San Bernardino counties, or near Phoenix, Prescott or Yuma, Arizona. Total value of east front corner 60x142, and new 9-room mansion is $7500; mortgage of $4300 at 7 per cent. can remain; $1200 cash and balance trade. Make a proposition. Address G, box 310, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — MODERN 8-ROOM house, close-in, rents for $47 month; worth $6000; in good Arizona town; climate fine. Will take $3500 in California or other property; no junk. Address G, box 124, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—ONLY $2400.
Tenth and Magnolia.
60x142; worth $4000.
Among elegant homes.
No other lot here less than $3500.
It saves time to see ALEXANDER, Delta Bldg., 426 South Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—STOP AND LISTEN. WE have what you are looking for, our equity of $800 in a classy 6-room bungalow, all the latest built-in features, lawn and flowers, one block from car line, for your lot. Call us up and tell us where it is so we can do business. PHONE 26169.

FOR EXCHANGE — FOR EASTERN, MY nearly new, strictly modern, 2-story house, fine garage, large lot to alley. Price $9000. Mortgage $3000. Want eastern for my equity. Could put in 15-acre orange grove for larger deal. CLARK, South 4670.

FOR EXCHANGE — MY EQUITY OF $500 in modern, up-to-date bungalow in southwest, whole or part, for horse, rig, cow, feed or anything can use on ranch. Address P. O. box 87, ETIWANDA, CAL.

FOR EXCHANGE — 6-ROOM COTTAGE with 2 lots; fine improvements; price $4000. Will take city lots or suburban acreage for my equity of $3000, balance $25 per month. F. OSTRUP, 236 East 62nd st. South 5953.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE A $1640 EQUITY in 5-room bungalow, at 2815 West Jefferson. Will take $1100 cash or clear lot as part payment; incumberance $1660, payable $17.75 per month. Call West 142. COURDWAY.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANT CITY RESIDENCES for well equipped ranches in Inglewood. Have some fine ones. C. K. BUCKLE, Inglewood, Cal. Office Market street. Phone Sunset 174.

FOR EXCHANGE—4-ROOM COTTAGE, FINE location, close in, northwest; also 5-passenger Oldsmobile, to exchange for suburban acreage, ranch or clear lots. $700 equity in 3-room bungalow, close in, for clear lot. SMIDT, The Notary, 226 S. Spring st. F3053.

FOR EXCHANGE — 6-ROOM NEW MODERN bungalow, completely furnished; 133 West 51st st. Want unimproved land, southwest. SAVAGE, 2903 Trinity st. Phone 29079.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW, MODERN, ARTISTIC bungalows for lots or acreage. T. WIESENDANGER, 405 W. Sixth st.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

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FOR EXCHANGE — OR SALE—CHOICE acre lot, with 60 bearing lemon trees, at Casa Verdugo; $3000. Also two fine building lots at Hollywood; $2500. Want city lots or gilt edge trust deeds. RAMEY BROS., 227 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—WILL GIVE A LOT IN A first-class location and part cash, in exchange for building a house. Address J. VAN DEVENTER, 118 East Avenue 59.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—POMONA DISTRICT.
$45,000—A 20-acre foothill orange grove, full bearing; highly improved. Want city home or first-class Hollywood home, to $25,000; balance terms.

$30,000—A 20-acre orange grove, Rialto and Colton districts, crop estimated at 5000 boxes; want city or Hollywood to $20,000, balance 5 years' time.

$18,000—A 30-acre home place, close to Pomona, fine pumping plant, 7-room house, good barn, fine soil; want orange grove to full value or city to $10,000, balance good terms at 7 per cent.

$100,000—A 300-acre alfalfa ranch, fully equipper, 500 inches water under pipe system, a fine ranch. Want Pasadena or Los Angeles to $50,000, balance good terms.

CHINO SECTION.
A $30,000 alfalfa ranch, 110 acres, 25 ft. water lift, clear of incumbrance; want first-class orange grove to $40,000.

For Exchanges in good country income ranches, see E. A. MORGAN, 104 S. Thomas st., Pomona, Cal.

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FOR EXCHANGE—I HAVE 50 LOTS, 50x135 feet each, facing the ocean at that beautiful spot, Del Mar Heights, 17 miles north of San Diego, that will exchange for 8 or 10-room home in southwest part of Los Angeles. Address G, box 140, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$200,000 BEACH SUBDIVISION; will exchange for Los Angeles business property. ABC, 1324 D STREET, San Diego, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — 40 ACRES, IMPROVED land, Kings County, as fine soil as ever laid out of doors; will trade for home, Los Angeles. H. L. MILLER & CO., 324 W. Sixth st.

FOR EXCHANGE—310 ACRES FOR APARTMENT house, $17,500. 303 Bryson Block. W. L. ARMANTAGE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Eastern and Northern Real Estate.

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FOR EXCHANGE — 2064-ACRE RANCH IN Texas, 5-room house, running water, good barns and corrals, 10,000 pecan trees. Five years' time the pecan crop will pay for this ranch. Will sell or exchange for L. A. property. See GILLIAM & COGGIN, 356 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—2064 ACRES, NICE FIVE room house, corrals, running water, all under fence; will exchange for L. A. property. This land has 10,000 pecan trees that is worth the price we ask. Land is located in Texas. GILLIAM & COGGIN, 356 Wilcox Bldg.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—14-ROOM FLAT building, between Westlake Park and Figueroa and between 6th and 7th sts., value $14,000. Want eastern or western or somewhere, city property or land, that has the value of equity of $6350. PHONE 55457.

FOR EXCHANGE—
I make a specialty of exchanging real estate, particularly California for Eastern.
Member L. A. Realty Board. C. W. CONWAY, 304-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE. EQUITY in exceptionally handsome Chicago home worth $15,000; first-class residence location. Address T, box 316, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES LAND IN LYMAN county, South Dakota, for city vacant or improved. OWNER, box 394, Inglewood, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — CLEAR PROPERTY IN Iowa, $5000, for land or house; will assume. C. C. COTTLE, 315½ S. Hill.

FOR EXCHANGE—SEVERAL PROPERTIES in or near Detroit, Mich., for Los Angeles. C. R. CLARK, 227 E. Pike st., Pontiac, Mich.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

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FOR EXCHANGE — FOR EASTERN, 15-acre full-bearing Washington navel orange grove in city Riverside. Am going East, will give good deal for clear Eastern. Could put in $9000 dwelling for larger deal. Phone me for particulars. CLARK, South 4670.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE. THE BEST paying and best located apartment in town. Price $75,000; one-third cash, one-third good exchange and one-third mortgage. Also modern residence of 8 rooms, price $9500. Address G, box 330, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—I MATCH ANY TRADE, large or small, in farm or city property in any State. J. A. KING, Room 1, Lyon Blk., Riverside, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — WE MAKE REAL ESTATE exchanges everywhere; anything good. Call or send us description. J. C. M'CARTHY & CO., Phone F6774, 514 Byrne Bldg., 253 S Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE — GOOD BIG LOT WITH sidewalk and curb in and paid for; offered on even exchange for Santa Monica at $1100. A. S. MEAD, Sierra Madre.

FOR EXCHANGE—8 H. P. FAIRBANKS-Morse gasoline engine, and small planing mill outfit for merchandise or real estate. L. C. DIGGS, 4510 Michigan avenue, Phone Boyle 1512.

WANTED—YOUR CITY PROPERTY, BOTH residence and income, to exchange for orange groves that pay; cash difference adjusted. 221 CENTRAL BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE — ANY REAL ESTATE, anywhere, give me your realty of whatever kind, wherever located, for quick results. Loans. W. T. KILGROVE, 615 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — I WANT YOUR PROPerty for exchange or sale; can match anything. J. A. CRAIG, 813 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property. 304 BRYSON BLDG Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

TWO GENTLEMEN WITH CLEAN RECords and wide business or financial experience and associations, who will take part of a proposed increase of capital stock, can become additional directors and officers in an accident, health and indemnity assurance company now actively engaged in business. Address Insurance, B, box 50, TIMES OFFICE.

A CAPITALIST WITH $3,000,000 WANTED to join with me in the purchase of $60,000 acres in San Joaquin Valley; 30,000 acres will grow the finest oranges and other fruits. Address S, box 355, TIMES OFFICE.

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INVESEMENT.
ONE OF THE LARGEST REALTY FIRMS IN THE CITY OFFERS OPPORTUNITY FOR INVESTMENT OF ANY AMOUNT FROM $500 TO $25,000; THIS PROPOSITION IS ABSOLUTELY FIRST CLASS, AND WILL BEAR THE CLOSEST INVESTIGATION. PAID BETTER THAN 25 PER CENT DURING PAST YEAR. FOR FULL PARTICULARS ADDRESS E, BOX 199, TIMES OFFICE.

WANT LADY WITH $3000 CASH TO TAKE charge of large apartment hotel during day; salary $100 month. Inquire MR. JONES, 623 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Phone F6677.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
For Sale.

SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY.
FEED AND FUEL BUSINESS.
Running over $3000 monthly, clearing $300. Will sell at invoice, probably $2000. Give year's lease and rent you store. Beautiful 5-room bungalow and 5 acres of highly improved land; rent only $25. Supplies Inglewood, Hawthorne, Lawndale, Ranches and poultry colony. Over $500 worth of potatoes raised this year. If you are looking for a business not misrepresented and mean business, take car on Spring marked Hawthorne, south to Rancho Station. See our daily business and look over books. Ask for R. D. LANGDON, or see E. F. KRATZER, 602 S. Hill. Phone Main 1451; Home 60264.

DINING-ROOM, 693 WESTLAKE AVE., TO LET. RENT FREE FOR BOARD OF OWNERS.
51640. WILSHIRE 2356.

FOR SALE — SMALL MODERN MEAT market; sales average $50 per day, practically cash; rent $21 per month. This place guaranteed clearing $40 per week. Trial given. Price, invoice; fixtures at cost. PHONE 73276, WEST 5956.

BUTCHERS ATTENTION! THE BEST market in town, doing a business of $60 a day and only $15 a month rent, with a lease; must be sold on account of sickness, very soon. Price $800; $300 cash, balance to suit buyer. Trial given. Come and see this at 1464 W. SANTA BARBARA AVE., city.

FOR SALE—AT A DISCOUNT, STOCK OF dry goods, shoes, and furnishings; good business location, doing $35 per day, good reason for selling. Phone 31430, or address Y, box 285, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—SALOON. ONE OF THE FINEST and best paying saloons in Los Angeles, at a bargain; good lease and fresh stock. See OWNER, at 205 Severance Bldg., or call up Main 127 or F8193.

CHANCE TO GET IN WELL LOCATED moving picture house, paying 75 per cent. profit. Investment of $4500. For one week only. Have a reason. Address F, box 118, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—STORE, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, and mens' furnishings, with furnished living-rooms, cheap rent, lease $1000; selling on account of health. Will bear investigation. 4404 S. PARK AVE.

FOR SALE—GROCERY AND MEAT MARket, sales $60 to $70 daily, same location two years, corner 73rd and Moneta ave. PHONE SOUTH 317.

FOR SALE — $250, ONE-CHAIR BARBER shop, doing $20 to $25 weekly, with completely furnished rooms for housekeeping in connection; good reason for selling. 4317 STEPHENSON AVE.

FOR SALE—PAPER ROUTE OF 500 CUStomers. House lot, horse and buggy. C. W. HUGHES, 110 E. 3rd st., Glendale, Cal.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—GOOD PAYing poolroom in suburban town, for auto, property or diamonds. Address W, box 283, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—FIRST CLASS CIGAR STORE the best location in city; reasonable rent. For particulars apply A. B. GREENEWALD CIGAR CO., 107 South Spring.

FOR SALE—CONFECTIONERY AND ICE cream parlor, fine fixtures, low rent; near large school. 2863 S. VERMONT AVE.

FOR SALE—BAKERY AND DELICATESSEN at transfer point. Must sell on account of other business. Call BROADWAY 5130.

FOR SALE — STOCK OF GROCERIES, store to rent. Call 3512 S. PARK AVE. Phone South 7572.

FOR SALE — ONE-CHAIR BARBER SHOP, clears $35 weekly; going back to San Francisco. Call at once. 801 SUNSET BLVD.

FOR SALE—A GOOD COUNTRY ROUTE on The Times. Address J. B. Snyder, care Times office.

FOR SALE — GROCERY; GOOD CASH trade, close in, rent $35 a month. TELEPHONE F2181.

FOR SALE—CIGAR STORE AT A BARgain. 141 N. MAIN ST.

WANTED—BUSINESS LADIES WHO CAN invest $150 to $300 to handle new patent. Elegant line, exclusive territory. Fine opportunity and large profits. For full particulars Call at 248 S. BROADWAY, Dept. 3.

FOR SALE — CLOSE TO BIG SCHOOL, store selling stationery, candy, lunch, etc.; giving the best results. Cheap rent; can be kept by a woman. Residence on the same lot. Inquire 159½ W. 30TH ST.

WANTED — TO BUY DAIRY ON GOOD terms, or lease, must be ranch. Address H, box 95, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO LEASE MY WINERY AT 2221 E. Seventh st. Interested parties are welcome, a rare opportunity on account of location. Address G, box 174, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$600 WILL BUY ONE OF THE best moving picture houses in the State, situated in a town of 6000. Address H, box 98, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—MOVING PICTURE HOUSE IN a suburban town, fine money maker, must leave town. Address G, box 170, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADIES' TAILOR TO BUY ME out, W. Seventh st., fine location, plenty work; bargain. Address G, box 160, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MACHINIST TO TAKE SPACE, furnish own machinery, in a newly built foundry; cheap rent. Address F, box 188, TIMES OFFICE. Phone 53798.

FOR SALE—CHEAP RESTAURANT, DOing good business, 2 year lease, parties going away. Apply 803½ S. SPRING ST.

SNAP; $275 BUYS STOCK AND FIXTURES good paying business, disagreement of partners cause of sale. Address X, box 298, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

TO LET — 2 STORES AT BEST BUSINESS location on West 16th st., suitable for hardware, dry goods or other mercantile lines. PHONE 72525 or WEST 765.

$300—HAIRDRESSING PARLORS, RENT $25, lease, elegant furnishings, modern equipment, electrical appliances. COAST COMPANY, 138½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE — BAKERY, BEST LOCATION in town; all cash store trade; investigate at once; good reasons for selling. 2711 MAIN ST., Ocean Park, Cal.

WANTED — MAN WITH $5000 TO $25,000 TO invest in modern going shoe factory; interested party can make complete investigation. Address G, box 323, TIMES OFFICE.

SHOWCASES, WALL CASES, FIXTURES, office partitions; get our prices. WEBER SHOWCASE & FIXTURE CO., 320 S. Los Angeles st.

WILL YOU INVEST $1500 AND HUSTLE TO make $6000 per year? If you are wideawake and a business man we can interest you. Address F, box 370, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SECRETARY FOR PROFITABLE going corporation, for executive position; must invest $5000. Good salary and good income on investment. Address F, box 167. TIMES OFFICE.

400 CHICKENS, 34 COOPS, FURNITURE, 5-room house, tools; everything pertaining to chicken ranch; must be sold; make offer; rent $12.50. 951 E. SLAUSON. Central car.

FOR SALE — 14-CHAIR BARBER SHOP, bath, rooming, laundry office, cigar stand, in connection; 7 years' lease. 102 N. Spring st. BOUNEVILLE.

FOR SALE — OR TRADE, MERRY-GO-round, the latest up-to-date, 2 abreast jumping horse machine; a money maker. I have other business. Address F, box 132, TIMES OFFICE.

$500 INVESTED IN MANUFACTURING BUSiness will double in 4 months; bank reference; absolutely safe; investigation invited. 704 W. SIXTH ST.

FOR SALE—GARAGE WITH ESTABLISHED business, capacity 80 cars; long lease. Purchaser must assume and secure lease. Address F, box 178, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — BAKERY IN TOWN 2000, 3 ovens, using 12 buckets daily; long lease. For particulars address P., 337 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., Fourth and Main.

FOR SALE — CIGAR STAND AND POOLroom, 5 tables, best location in city. Must sell by 20th; am leaving city. W. E. CUNNINGHAM, 25 E. Colorado st., Pasadena, Cal.

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FOR SALE—THE ONLY MULTIGRAPHING and addressing business in San Diego. Doing a good business now with an increase every month. Reason for selling on application. Price reasonable. S. F. MOULTON, Timken bldg., San Diego.

ACT QUICK—

LARGEST COMPANY OF KIND ON COAST WILL DISPOSE OF SOME TREASURY STOCK TO INCREASE BUSINESS. BOOKS OPEN FOR INSPECTION. GOOD POSITION TO RIGHT PARTY. WILL SHOW OVER 30 PER CENT. ON INVESTMENT. CALL AND HAVE A TALK WITH MR. ELTON, 122 EAST 6TH ST., L. A.

FOR FEW DAYS ONLY—
30 per cent. interest on your money.
Well established amusement enterprise.
Best location in L. A.
Certain reasons for selling.
Must have $4500 for part interest.
Also best references.
With or without services.
Address F, box 347, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — MEN'S AND WOMEN'S FURnishing goods business; connecting stores; in best city in Southern California, outside L. A. Location excellent and lease unexcelled. Will sell either one or both. Established over two years and doing profitable business. For full particulars see WALTER S. DUNN, 357 S. Spring, second floor.

FOR SALE—½ INTEREST IN THE BEST small business in city, established for 3 years, has outgrown my best efforts to supply demands. Want party to invest $3000 and take active or silent interest. Can show the business, good will, reliability, and an unlimited field for my product. Address F, box 249, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — AN OLD ESTABLISHED butcher shop, located in the business central, population about one thousand, with large country population of farmers, dairymen and stock raisers. Slaughter-house one mile from town. Capital required $3500. The total of shops, including the town of Oceano and El Pizmo is two. For particulars write to P.O. BOX 1083, Arroyo Grande, Cal.

WOULD YOU INVEST $2500 IN A FEED MILLING BUSINESS CARRYING WITH IT AN EXECUTIVE AND SALARED POSITION, REQUIRING NO EXPERIENCE OTHER THAN GOOD COMMON SENSE AND ENERGY? IF SO, AND YOU ARE PREPARED TO ACT AT ONCE, SEE THE MANAGER AT 218-219 FAY BLDG., THIRD AND HILL.

EXCLUSIVE MILLINERY STORE, largest and finest in San Joaquin Valley; Mission fixtures, clean stock, low rent, lease; established trade; doing fine business. Must be sold at once; $2000 cash; worth double; best references; no agents. Address GEELAN MILLINERY, Bakersfield, Cal.

I OFFER BUYERS SEVERAL BONA FIDE paying propositions in the grocery and meat market lines; no fakes listed or wanted; terms and trial on some. MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, 396 S. Los Angeles st. DUNLAP, secretary Retail Meat Dealers' Association.

HAVE A SNAP IN LIVE PICTURE SHOW, this house is just being opened and reason for selling is owner is sick, and must get out of business. Address G, box 134, TIMES OFFICE.

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PARTY TO INvest as small a sum as $500 in an amusement proposition that will pay enormous dividends; this will bear the closest investigation, and is being backed by capable, reputable people. F6124. Main 4392. 283 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTION HAS OPENING for cashier, $100 month to start; must understand book-keeping thoroughly and have excellent references as to character. $2500 investment required. Address Y, box 155, TIMES OFFICE.

AERONAUTICS—
Hall-Scott motor, 60-h.p., new, condition guaranteed; also Curtiss type biplane, 32½ feet spread, has been flying, both can be had reasonable. Address F. W., box P, Oxnard, Cal.

WOULD LIKE TO MEET TWO OR THREE gentlemen who will invest from $2500 to $3000 each in the cattle business. I have unlimited range and plenty of water; references given and required. Address Box 20, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

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All Sorts.

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BUILDING LOANS.
Money at 6 and 7 per cent. Straight three-year building loans a specialty.
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See Allen Jones,
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CITY AND COUNTRY LOANS.
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Manager Loan and Appraisement Dept.
ELIOTT & HORNE INV. BROKERS.
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We have money to loan in sums of from $500 to $50,000 at current rates on first mortgage, at a fair valuation of your property.
We make no charges for appraisement or drawing of papers.
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TO LOAN—$250,000.
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We Control this money and can place it at once; we make LIBERAL appraisements, and give PROMPT ATTENTION to your application.
MR. SIMPSON.
A3986. 329 P. E. Bldg. Bdwy. 4124.

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Loans promptly closed from our own funds. Terms to suit borrowers.
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$1000, $2500, $8000 UP.
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We have money to loan on L. A. first mortgage real estate security.
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In any amount.
MR. SIMPSON,
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LOWEST RATE OF INTEREST.
STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.
THE OLD RELIABLE FIDELITY.
TRIED AND TRUE.
That's the reputation we have established, and are re-establishing daily, by our "fair-play" methods of loaning money.
No secret about it. The reason?
We keep faith.
We do all and more than we agree.
Call and talk it over.
FIDELITY LOAN COMPANY,
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PAY US WEEKLY, MONTHLY, ANY WAY.
OUR CHARGES 2 TO 10 per cent. lower than RATES QUOTED BY OTHERS.
MONEY AT ONCE.
NO DELAY.
PRIVATE ROOMS. LOWEST RATES.
—CAPITAL $50,000—
1 TO 5 PER CENT.
ESTABLISHED 11 YEARS.
DIAMONDS—$10 and up WE LOAN.
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Furniture remains in your possession. Pay money back on easy payments.
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EMPLOYER, BUSINESS ASSOCIATES OR FRIENDS will not know of any business dealings with us.
KUSEL LOAN CO.,
114-115 Stimson Bldg., Third and Spring sts.
F3208. Broadway 2225.

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IF YOU ARE WORRIED by small accounts, call on us; we will advise you and supply you with money and take as security a mortgage on your FURNITURE, PIANO, HORSES, WAGONS, BUGGIES, and LIVE STOCK, and you can repay us in small weekly or monthly payments.
The security to remain in your possession and your friends need never know.
WE GUARANTEE OUR RATES ARE POSITIVELY THE LOWEST. TRY US AND CONVINCE YOURSELF.
We do not publish misleading rates nor misrepresent, neither do we tack on fees or other charges; our methods are clean; liberal discount for payment before due.
If you cannot call, write or phone and our agent will call, and explain our plan.
Telephones: F6512, Main 4018.
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PRIVATE LOANS QUICKLY MADE ON FURNITURE, PIANOS, STORAGE RECEIPTS, LIVE STOCK, ETC. AT THE FOLLOWING LOW RATES:
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THESE PAYMENTS INCLUDE ALL CHARGES, PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST. OTHER AMOUNTS IN PROPORTION. FOR A SQUARE DEAL SEE THE OLD RELIABLE.
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ROOM 702 DELTA BLDG., 7TH FLOOR.
426 S. SPRING ST.
PHONES F2153. MAIN 6357.

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$ $ CHATTEL LOAN COMPANY. $ $
CHEAPEST RATES. BEST TERMS.
SEE US AND PAY LESS INTEREST.
Loans on furniture, pianos, warehouse receipts; diamonds, etc.; we guarantee our rates are the lowest, and give the privilege of repaying whenever convenient, which reduces the interest accordingly; money same day. Private, confidential, reliable. AMERICAN LOAN CO., 501 Johnson Bldg., Fourth and Broadway. 14227.

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THIS IS OUR BUSINESS—
SALARY LOANS, $10 TO $100 advanced to honest employees, "without security." No indorser, no publicity; your friends, relatives or employer will never know.
ALL WE WANT IS YOUR PLAIN NOTE.
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MONEY CONFIDENTIALLY LOANED TO employees. Loans to be paid in installments of 50 cents or more per week, or $2 or more per month. PEOPLE'S LOAN COMPANY, 636 Citizens' Bank Bldg., Third and Main.

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SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN, ACCOMmodated without delay or publicity. SOUTHERN CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

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SQUARE DEAL LOAN OFFICE LOANS money on diamonds, watches, guns, pistols, cameras, musical instruments. Old gold and silver bought. Strictly confidential. 225 S. MAIN, next to Cohn's grocery.

SALARY LOANS—SALARY LOANS—
SALARY LOANS—SALARY LOANS.
No indorser, no security; cheapest rates; positively no one will know.
THE NATIONAL LOAN CO., 519-520 Bryson Block, Second and Spring sts.

LEE BROTHERS—
Old and new customers will find us at 129 SOUTH SPRING.

Classified Liners.

MONEY TO LOAN— Salaries and Chattels.

QUICK LOANS ON FURNITURE, PIANOS and other personal property; no publicity; goods remain in your possession; money ready same day. LOWEST rates in city; all the time you want, or can be repaid as convenient, reducing interest accordingly; also short loans on real estate, first or second mortgage; money same DAY; no brokerage fee. It pays to deal with a reliable firm; 12 years established. CLARK & CO., 201 Security Bldg., 510 Spring st. Phone F7151. Main 6663.

MONEY LOANED ON DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, watches, typewriters, pianos, furniture, contracts, etc. Diamond loans our specialty; loan our own money; do our own appraising; no delay; lowest rates; business confidential. Private rooms. Polite treatment. Bank references. Established 1903. We do the largest upstairs collateral loan business in city. H. T. REID & CO., 400-402 Grant Bldg., corner Fourth and Broadway. A1926.

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WANTED—MONEY— We want money to loan on first mortgages in amounts from $1000 to $25,000. We have on hand applications for loans which we have already thoroughly investigated and approved. Every loan submitted to you has stood the "acid test." CHANDLER, GORE & CO. 503-4-5 Bradbury Bldg. F3121. Main 2715.

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WANTED—MONEY. $100 TO $100,000. ON CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY. VACANT OR IMPROVED. APPLY TO MR. KELLY, LOAN DEPT., ROBERT MARSH & CO., Trust and Savings Bldg., 6th and Spring. Phones—10175, Main 5045.

WANTED— ON A-1 INCOME PROPERTY, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT.: $6000. $4000. $1800. F. H. REDPATH, SOUTH 297. 4308 MONETA. 28339.

WANTED—$12,500, 3 YEARS, AT 7 PER cent., on a 50-acre close-in ranch, abundance of water; valued at $30,000; 15 minutes from Los Angeles. No agents. Address X, box 27, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—$1450 BUILDING LOAN, PRIVATE party on 7-room bungalow. 1150 W. 53RD ST. See Rogers, 54th and Hoover.

WANTED—$5000 TO $75,000 ON CHOICE business property, good income. Call at 408 W. SIXTH ST. A2043. Main 2043. Mr. Frye.

WANTED—I WANT $3000 AT 8 PER CENT. one or two years, on outside lots; Santa Monica air line; bank appraisement $9000. Call F2125, or Main 3975, and inquire for C. M. B., 613 Higgins Bldg.

WANTED—$3000 ON $8000 HOME FOR 2 years, rate of interest must be low. Address F, box 133, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LOAN OF $700 AT 7 PER CENT., from private party on house and lot, worth $1700. Write or call, 1520 HUSTED ST. IRA. J. HERBERT.

WANTED—$250 AT 2 PER CENT. MONTH for 3 months, real estate security, private party preferred. Address Y, box 298, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$50,000 FOR CLIENT ON GILT edge business and realty securities, valued at $140,000. J. K. ELLISON, 407 Grant Bldg. A2517.

FOR SALE—A SECOND MORTGAGE OF $1400, secured by a trust deed, on a beautiful new bungalow in Huntington Park; will discount. Address G, box 367, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MONEY: $8000 IN FIRST AND second liens, all payable monthly; will give liberal discount for cash. Drop me a card and I will mail you a list of same. Address F, box 348, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$3800 EACH, ON TWO NEW 9 and 10-room residences, best part Hollywood; 3 years, 7 per cent. PHONE 71005.

WANTED—$1500, 3 MONTHS, 1 PER CENT. a month. PASADENA MAIN 6376.

WANTED—CITY AND COUNTRY LOANS, $1000, $2500, $6000 and up. T. M. FLOWER, 524 Lissner Bldg.

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I AM IN THE MARKET FOR CONSOLIDATED Realty, Home Makers, L. A. Investment, Mutual Home Builders, Home Builders of M. O. House. Loans arranged on above stocks. Apply A. M. JAMGOCHIAN, 315-17 Consolidated Realty Bldg. Phone F2379.

I NEED MONEY AND WILL SACRIFICE to sell 1000 or any part Mutual Home Builders, paying 16 per cent. dividend; next dividend 4 per cent., January 15. Office price $1.90. What cash offer you can make. Address H, box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

WILL SELL HOME MAKERS WITH DIVIDENT 14%. Home Builders $1.80; Original Home Builders $1.35, Mutual Home Builders $1.10, Butte Creek 5, Maricopa Queen 30, Want United. H. N. WILLARD, 330½ S. Spring. A5716.

FOR SALE—2650 SHARES "THE MOUNTAIN Roll Amusement Co." stock, 25c; will be built at Ocean Park next spring. Address L. H. BOLLINGER, 24th and Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

PREFERRED STOCK. ABSOLUTELY SAFE and guaranteed 8 per cent. Additional profits large. Small amount only offered to enlarge plant. Address E, box 378, TIMES OFFICE.

WANT INTEREST WITH OFFICIAL POSITION in State bank. Have had 20 years' experience. Will make investment. Box 435, SHORB, CAL.

WANTED — HIGHEST BID ON 1000 shares of stock of the D. & W. Mining Co. Address F, box 116, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CONSOLIDATED REALTY CO. stock. Will pay $128 share. J. MADISON CARTER, 318 Citizens' Nat. Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN. 100 SHARES Yellow Aster mine stock. Address X, box 251, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

I OFFER $129 SHARE FOR CONSOLIDATED Realty stock. CHARLES A. POST, 406 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

FOR SALE — 25 SHARES OF STOCK OF the Great Pacific Securities Company. Address G, box 161, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE— Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE — 7000 SACKS OF WOOD blocks, cuttings from mill, 15c sack, at yard. Send expressman. Try a load for your airtight heater. MILLER HIVE & BOX CO., 807 N. Ave. 18.

FOR SALE—ON TIME PAYMENTS, LACE curtains, portieres, couch covers, rugs, carpets and mattings and furniture, stoves and household goods. OVERELL'S, 700-708 S. Main st. THE BIG STORE.

FOR SALE—OR RENT—INVALID WHEEL chairs, physicians' and hospital supplies. PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY, 415 W. 5th. F4122.

FOR SALE—STANDARD MOVING PICTURE machine, almost new, 1260 folding chairs, roll top desk and chair, linoleum, rugs, etc. L. C. SKEELS, 931 S. Main.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—TENTS THAT are tents, all sizes, some slightly used; also awnings. WISE & DOWNIE, 506 E. Seventh sts. Phone Home F8304, Broadway 2169.

FOR SALE—MY DIAMOND RING, SOLID gold stop-watch, violin; sacrifice. PHONE WEST 3627.

FOR SALE—THERE IS NO EXCUSE FOR bad cooking. Get The Times New Cook Book. Now sale. Price 25c, postage 5c extra.

FOR SALE—ONE IRON FIREPROOF SAFE, weight 1200 pounds, fine for books. 200 W. Second st. V. L. CARROLL.

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LOST—BLACK VELVET PURSE, CONTAINING lady's gold watch and wedding ring, engraved S. to B., June 21, 1906. Finder please return to LEVY'S CIGAR STORE, 117 W. 3rd. Reward.

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WATCH, THURSDAY morning, on Fifth between Main and Los Angeles, or between Fifth and Seventh on Main. A big reward for same. Call Main 4465 or Main 6579; or at 1350D S. FIGUEROA

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LOST—ON BRENTWOOD ROAD, BETWEEN Soldiers' Home and Palisades, black handbag, containing money, draft and other papers. MARY D. BECKON, Palms P. O., Cal.

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Saldow, of the German team, sustained a fractured rib and painful laceration on the left side in a fall yesterday, but this fact was not discovered until today. His partner, Lorenz, gave him all the rests he could, but Saldow insisted on doing a fair share of the work and was applauded every time he came on the track.

CAMPUS BRIEFS

"Demon" Bill Henry won the Occidental College Marathon yesterday afternoon over the hills and dales of Highland Park, finishing with the fastest elapsed time of 17m. 19s. for the three-mile course. McDermot won the race, breasting the tape one yard ahead of Henry, but Mac had 45 seconds' handicap. Mac gets the medal for first place, but Henry gets the tab for the best time and the most points.

It was a great race over the last half mile. Henry was far behind when the string of runners entered the home stretch on the college oval. McDermot was over 100 yards ahead of Henry when the runners came on the track for the final three laps. Henry began to cut down the gap and had his classmates cheering wildly. He caught the flying McDermot 200 yards from the tape, but could not pass him, and they raced to the tape one yard apart.

Bill Percival, the Oxy two-miler, managed to come in second, with 17m. 35s. to his credit, while Warren Schoonover took third with 17:40.

This run brought out several good men, chief among whom is Henry, the winner of the race. He trained but two days for the race, and the showing made marks him as a comer in the long-distance grinds for the season.

The sophomore class won the Gorton cup, due to the good work of Bill the Hen. Following is the class score for the run: Sophomores, 57; Seniors, 21; Juniors, 14, and the Freshmen, 13. As will be seen by these scores, the sophomore class had all the goods, scoring more points than all the rest of the classes put together.

Here is the table showing the finish:

Name.	Handicap.	Finish.	Place.
McDermott, '13	45s	1	1
Fletcher, '14	45s	4	4
Gray, '14	120s	9	9
Fox, '14	30s	10	10
Watts, '14	scr	2	1
Henry, '14	scr	1	2
Percival, '13	scr	3	3
Schoonover, '12	scr	5	5
Bickford, '14	scr	6	6
McDonald, '14	scr	7	7
Magee, '12	scr	8	8

The upper classmen are leading up to date in the interclass baseball series at the U.S.C. College of Law, having defeated the freshmen twice in the last two weeks. The babies have one more chance to come back after the Christmas holidays, as the series was to be a five-game affair, but if the uppers keep on with the winning streak and hand the first-year men another package, there will be nothing more but the shouting.

The freshmen were quite loud in their threats before the games started, but with veterans like Foss, Millikan and Maddocks on the upper class team, the fast, though inexperienced, freshmen, were counted out without much trouble.

Manager Warran Bovard, of the University of Southern California, says that the Rugby players of the University will likely put on a game in Pasadena December 30, to let the Crown City fans see the game. Mr. Bovard has been approached by the management of the Rose Tournament in the matter, and will take action at once.

The University of California was to have brought a team South for the date and was going to play an all-southern team, but the Berkeley team will not be able to make the trip, so the University of Southern California has been asked to fill the hole.

This season the southern colleges have forgotten the fall baseball practice, it seems, and outside of the interclass series at the Law School, there has been nothing doing along this line.

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...are one of the experi... fighting game. Jones has ... flying to the skies and ... a young fellow that we ... of before, and spoils ... punch. ... is a sturdy fellow, ... with as hard a ... lightweight in the coun... after the bout that Stan... might have the punch. I ... on the scales after the go ... tipped 147 pounds, stripped, ... very fat. Giblin weighed ... according to Tom ... This set-to is go... something to talk ... is come.

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The next pair was Frankie Conley and Freddie Corbett. Frankie has just started in to his boxing and he and Freddie gave a clever and comical exhibition that pleased the crowd.

The last was an exhibition between two kids. A little fellow about 10 years old jumped into the ring and wanted to know where he came in for a fight. Doyle introduced him as Jimmie Neverweat. He was immediately challenged by Jack Doyle. But Jack said that he would only fight him with a club. The kid said to bring on the club and he would fight him, anyway.

This amused the crowd so much that Jack dug up another little fellow and they gave a clever and amusing exhibition for the crowd, and were rewarded by a handful of money that was thrown to them. Jack said immediately afterward that he was their manager and demanded his cut, but the kids would stand for none of that.

Ben Smith, Conley's trainer, has a system of training that he is going to follow closely in getting Frankie into condition. In the first place, Ben is a crank on cleanliness. That is a very important thing in the fighting line, when conditioning boxers. He is very particular that his road and gymnasium clothes are always clean. This does away with all chances of skin or blood trouble. He also takes Frankie's weight every time he starts on the road or in the gymnasium, and after he gets through. This gives him a line on Conley's condition at all times, and he is better able to judge just how much or little Frankie should do.

Smith wants Frankie to enter the ring at about 122 pounds. I saw Frankie on the scales before he started to work, and he weighed just 124 pounds, and when he got through he weighed 122 pounds. Frankie is a natural featherweight and can make 116 pounds at ringside and be in good fighting condition. One hundred and twenty-three pounds is really heavy for him, but Smith does not want him to carry too much extra weight. Ben also says that he will work Frankie hard for a week and then gradually cut his work down and let him pick up.

This disproves the idea that a few pounds is not as much of a handicap as many think. Gilmore also says that he would like to see Frankie heavier, but he cannot make it; it is not in him to get big.

Frankie only weighed 123 pounds when he fought Rivers the last time. Smith says that he is eating and drinking all he wants, which is greatly in his favor. There never was a better trained boy that ever fought than Conley was the last time he met Rivers, and Ben Smith and Gilmore are going to see to it that he will be just as good this time.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

Pasadena.

STREET PAVING IS COMPLETED.

Pasadena's Elite Highway in Perfect Shape.

New Liquor Ordinance Is Now in Effect.

Intense Interst in Matter of Floats.

[Office of The Times, 32 S. Fair Oaks avenue.]

PASADENA, Dec. 16.—The paving of South Orange Grove avenue, the finest and one of the most extensive pieces of street improvement ever undertaken in the city, was completed yesterday afternoon. This new pavement extends from Colorado street to California street. It was at the California-street end that the last few wheelbarrowloads of material were dumped.

The street has long been torn up and residents along it sigh now with relief to think that their expensive improvement is at last realized. The bitulithic pavement itself, the putting of all wires underground and the addition of parkings and bronze lamp posts, make the thoroughfare one of the most magnificent in the country.

The electroliers have not as yet been installed, with the exception of three that were set up several days ago. This and the planting of grass in the parkings is now all that remains to be done. The paving alone cost the Orange Grove avenue property owners $85,000, while they paid out another $45,000 for the conduits to carry the telephone and electric light wires. The section of the street over which this improvement extends is about half a mile in length.

VACATION AGAIN.

Over 5200 happy children yesterday laid aside their books and thoughts of school and entered upon that happiest of happy times, the Christmas vacation. Exercises were held in the afternoon at most of the grammar schools of the city. They all had a tinge of Yuletide flavor and were attended by the parents, so that many of the schoolrooms were crowded to capacity.

School will not reopen until January 2, and both children and teachers will be given a good rest and plenty of time to enjoy the holidays.

There will be no teachers' institute in Pasadena. The local teachers will attend in a body the institute to be held at the Auditorium in Los Angeles. It opens next week.

While the time that the schools will not be in use is too short to make any extensive improvements, most of the buildings will be renovated to a greater or less extent and put into good shape. At some of them provision will be made for the accommodation of additional pupils.

The school officials look for the usual increase in attendance after the holidays. This is caused by the growth of the population in the city and by the fact that many tourists who come to Pasadena to spend the holidays enter their children in the schools here, they say.

NEW LAW IN EFFECT.

At noon yesterday the new liquor ordinance presented to the City Council a short time ago by the City Liquor Commission and adopted, with amendments, went into effect. Proprietors of hotels and resaurants now serve liquor under permits issued by the Council, and the druggists are under the same regulations.

Another feature of the ordinance is that wagons in which liquor is delivered in the city must have no signs pertaining to liquor on them, and that the bottled or barrel goods conveyed, must be covered.

FRIENDLY RIVALRY.

The question apparently of chief moment in Pasadena at the present time is who will supply the most attractive float in the floral parade of the Tournament of Roses. Most of the organizations that will enter floats have already settled upon ideas to be carried out and the responsibility for a good showing is now in the hands of the men who are constructing them.

An election at the Pasadena High School resulted in the selection of the following girls of that institution to ride in the High School float:

Luerella Brentner, Gladys Shaffer, Ada Black, Elizabeth Frost, Hazel Brownfield, Vera Grauert, Merna Brown, Rachael Dowd, Katherine Wright, Louise Lawrence, Elsa Morse, Adelaide Mahn, Sara Horcasitas, Elizabeth Furlow, Charlotte Blow, Grace Gladden, Dorothy Driscoll, Mildred Frost and Percis Edwards.

WILL INVESTIGATE.

The members of the various parent-teacher associations of the city have resolved next week to give their attention to investigating the telephone system now in use by the schools.

This system is one whereby messages pass through the office of the superintendent of schools, and in order to keep the number of calls down to a sufficiently small number not to interfere seriously with the work of the classes there is an element of censorship involved.

The parent-teachers' associations do not believe in indiscriminate telephoning; but at the same time they think the present system could be improved upon. The result of their investigations will probably be embodied in a petition to the Board of Education for whatever change is found to be desirable.

CITY BRIEFS.

H. R. Haines, who pleaded guilty last Thursday to a charge of violating the recently-enacted "joy riding" law, was yesterday fined $25 by Police Judge McDonald. A jail sentence of thirty days was also imposed, but this was suspended on condition of good behavior.

J. B. Deford yesterday presented to Chief of Police Wood, to be added to the collection of things taken from prisoners that adorns the Chief's office, an ash tray decorated in the Los Angeles County Jail, with cigar labels by one of the McNamaras.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Springer of Ft. Wayne, Ind., are visiting Mr. Springer's brother, William S. Springer, who lives at No. 324 Galena avenue.

Miss Caroline Burch of Ricknall, Or., is spending the winter with her cousin, Mrs. Lester L. Harman, of No. 291 South Marengo avenue.

The Komical Knights of the Karnival are applying themselves steadily to the construction of burlesque floats for the night Tournament of Roses parade on New Year's Day and the selling of K.K.K. buttons.

Invitations are out for the formal opening of the Hotel Raymond, which will take place next Thursday night. There will be dancing and a concert, and the affair will be one of the chief social functions of the winter.

The Pasadena Salvation Army Corps is collecting money, food and clothing for the relief of the poor of the city on Christmas Day. Many sad hearts will be glad with Christmas dinners.

The Santa Fe Railroad Company yesterday distributed a number of calendars in the city that are a reproduction of a famous Navajo blanket which is in the collection of G. Wharton James. Locomotives, cars and passengers are represented in the scheme, and the weaver even put in the words "Santa Fe."

The Ohio Society of Pasadena will hold its annual meeting and election of officers at G.A.R. Hall next Thursday night.

Wadsworth sells paints.

Miss Edith Taber's wonderful work in jewelry, leather, etc. Wigwam, No. 61 N. Euclid.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.

Beautiful arts and craft jewelry, all styles, $1 to $5, at Grace Nicholson's Gift Shop.

BUILDINGS ARE NEEDED.

Venice Schools Are Badly Overcrowded and the Time Is Near When Action Must Be Taken.

VENICE, Dec. 15.—The question of who would be entitled to vote at an election held in the early days of an even-numbered year is one that is being seriously considered by the Trustees of the elementary school district. As it is during even-numbered years, beginning with January 1, that the Great Register is made, the question has arisen, would those who are now on the register be entitled to vote at a bond election to be held before opportunity would have been given all to place their names on the new registration books?

Civic and commercial organizations are demanding that the school trustees call an election at once for the purpose of obtaining authority from the taxpayers for a bond issue of approximately $50,000. The money is badly needed in the construction of two grammar grade buildings, as the present school building is taxed beyond its capacity. One of the new buildings is desired near or south of Center street on the sand and the other on the dirt in the back country. Before calling the election, the school officials would like to give all the voters a chance to register, especially since it is claimed that 70 per cent. of the property of the district is owned by women and of the new voters only a small per cent. are registered.

If it should be determined that present registrations would not hold good there may be no early call for the bond election, as the new list's preparation does not begin until January 1 and a voter must register at least thirty days before the date of the election. It is believed the bonds would be favored by a two-thirds vote this time, as the High School question would not enter the contest in any way.

KELP VALUABLE.

Referring to kelp and other forms of seaweed as being one of the neglected and undeveloped resources of the Southern California beaches, an old resident of the strand today said that he had frequently seen as much as 1000 tons of the despised ocean vegetation piled along the shore at one time. He said that after storms at sea or extremely high tides it washes in by the hundreds of thousands of pounds, often covering the entire shore line for a distance of several miles. At times like this he says the only thing to do to preserve it would be for wagons to drive along the shore to be loaded. The amount of money going to waste annually through the neglect of this opportunity to secure fertilizer and potash was roughly estimated by him as running far into the thousands of dollars. It is his opinion that this resource will not always be cast aside in Southern California.

Golf every day at CORONADO.

SAN PEDRO.

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 15.—Edward Tolar, proprietor of a lunch counter on Front street, was badly cut in the left arm early this morning by John Howard, a blacksmith. Tolar lost considerable blood and is in a serious condition. The dispute arose over the price of a meal. Howard, it is alleged, was drunk.

Go to CORONADO and "live."

NEW CORPORATION.

A matter of interest occurred yesterday when Robert G. Hill, the founder and first president of the Hibernian Savings Bank of Los Angeles, accepted the presidency of the Consolidated Amusement Company, with headquarters in this city.

The purpose of the company is along the lines of the theater syndicates which have been so highly successful in the East.

Some of the well-known people connected with this movement are Harry R. Taylor, well-known capitalist of Alabama; Wilson G. Tanner, vice-president of the Park Bank of this city, and S. E. Manatt of Los Angeles and a number of other local business men, prominent in the financial world are also interested in this enterprise. Leases have already been secured in a number of prominent towns in Southern California, where high-grade moving-picture and vaudeville theaters will be erected and operated along European lines.

Long Beach.

WILL MOVE BIG FACTORY.

Long Beach Will Acquire Rhode Island Enterprise.

One Hundred and Twenty Men Are Employed.

Debating League Opens a Series of Debates.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 15.—Charles I. D. Looff, owner of the Hippodrome on the Pike, and amusement promoter in many cities of the country, returned today from Dallas, Tex., where he has been looking after business interests and announced that he has definitely decided to move his big factory from Providence, R. I. to Long Beach.

He has already acquired considerable property on the west side and will not secure additional land. It is Mr. Looff's intention to bring his full force of workmen West with him, many of them being expert wood carvers.

The factory, which employs 120 men, manufactures the machinery and appliances for the merry-go-rounds, carousels and other amusement devices which Looff controls, and all of the animals are hand-carved.

A son now in the East is expected here before the new year, at which time plans for the new plant will be decided upon.

DEBATING LEAGUE.

The opening debates of the simultaneous system inaugurated this year by the Southwestern Debating League, resulted today in a victory for the Long Beach end, in a contest with a team from the Manual Arts School of Los Angeles.

The question was: "Resolved, That the present system of nominating President and Vice-President by national conventions should be abandoned." The team sent to Los Angeles took the negative, while Albert Morosco and Ralph Bechman took the affirmative side in the debate here and won by a score of 208½ points, to 176 scored by Harry Kiggans and Harold Morton of the Manual Arts School. The debate was spirited and the local students were cheered by the new songs and yells of their comrades, who packed the auditorium of the new Polytechnic.

RARE TRANSPARENCY.

Hundreds of people today visited the outer wharf, attracted by the remarkable and rare transparency of the water. The water was so clear that the bottom of the sea under eighteen feet of water could be seen, and also thousands, perhaps, millions, of fish of all sizes and varieties swimming about in the ocean depths. Hundreds of different varieties were caught by the fishermen, who had the rare sport of looking into the water and spotting their fish before angling for them.

TO HONOR FREDERICKS.

Signal honor is to be paid to Capt. J. D. Fredericks on Sunday when the Cerritos Gun Club will tender him a dinner at their clubhouse on the shooting preserves. Several specially invited guests will be in attendance besides the honor guest and members of the gun club. Capt. Fredericks's prairies are heard on every hand, his handling of the McNamara cases having added much to his popularity in this section.

VALUABLE HEN.

L. R. Hayward of this city is the owner of a hen, the daughter of Peggy, a crystal white Orpington fowl for which Keller Strauss, a Kansas City fancier, refused an offer of $10,000 cash. Peggy II bids fair to be as great a chicken as its mother, whose products it is said have brought much more than the sum refused.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Superintendent of Schools Graham today announced that the local High School will give certificates of proficiency to all post graduates in history and English. These certificates will admit the holders to sophomore classes of the State university in the studies named. Other post graduate studies will be added to the course later.

Replying to a letter sent him yesterday by the Chamber of Commerce relative to the separation if possible of the Long Beach harbor and Los Angeles harbor in the Congressional and Assembly districts, Assemblyman Hinshaw today replied that pending bills in the Legislature contemplated the very action desired.

Landscape Gardener Grant of San Francisco is in the city and will begin work at once upon George H. Bixby's plan of beautifying Los Cerritos subdivision and the grounds of E. Rodeo Club. As a starter Mr. Bixby today purchased of F. C. Yeomans 160 six-foot date palms.

The United Order of Foresters has elected as officers Chief Ranger, H O. Rhea; Court Deputy, C. A. Lovett; Vice-Ranger, Mrs. Nettie S. Bolin; Secretary, F. C. Ree; Treasurer, C. W. Caseboom; Financier, G. L. Curtis.

Owing to the mass of evidence to be produced in the case of Robert White, accused of incendiarism, his preliminary hearing was today continued until after the holidays and is set for January 2.

Returning from the city yesterday Mrs. Helen Wells lost a dozen boxes of gold on the Pacific Electric. The gold was in small boxes and is used in decorating china. The loss has been reported to the police.

Don't miss CORONADO BEACH.

ASKS HENEY TO EXPLAIN.

Probability that President Will Pardon Men Convicted of Alleged Land Frauds in Oregon.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Well-defined rumors are in circulation that former State Senator F. P. Mays and former State Representative Willard N. Jones, convicted of land frauds five years ago, are likely to receive Christmas gifts of free pardons by President Taft.

W. J. Burns's visit to the President probably will be the deciding point. President Taft has for months had under consideration documents, letters and other evidence contained in the court record of the local Federal district, showing the Heney and Burns method of working on the jury list from which the trial juries in the Jones and Mays cases were drawn. Much of this material put before the President has been developed since the appeal of Jones and Mays was decided against them in the Circuit Court of Appeals. Heney has been asked to explain to the President his part in the proceedings, which Jones and Mays assert was in violation of the fundamental principles of jury selection. It is reported that Burns favors pardons for both men.

Neither Mays nor Jones has ever gone to prison, although both long ago received prison sentences.

CHARTING STRANGE SEAS.

Director of Terrestial Magnetism at Carnegie Institute Reaches San Francisco After Long Cruise.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Louis A. Bauer, director of the department of terrestial magnetism at the Carnegie Institute, who has been cruising distant seas in the brigantine Carnegie, arrived here yesterday on the steamship China. He is en route to Washington and will rejoin the expedition, which has gathered important data concerning compass chartings of great value to mariners.

The ship Carnegie is the only non-magnetic vessel in the world, according to Bauer, being composed of wood, copper and bronze.

After a cruise in the South Seas the Carnegie will return to New York by way of Cape Horn. The vessel is scheduled to arrive there in June, 1913.

Director Bauer witnessed the total solar eclipse last April from the island of Tau, of the Samoan group, and gathered important data.

MORE THAN HIS BOND.

Everett City Treasurer Described as Missing Is Said to Be Seventy Thousand Short.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Everett dispatches say the shortage of Alexander Keay, Everett's City Treasurer, who disappeared five weeks ago, will probably reach $70,000, or $10,000 more than his surety bond. Keay's salary was only $100 per month.

Three detective agencies say they have learned that Keay comes from an adventurous family. Three brothers are said to be soldiers of fortune in foreign lands. Former companions believe the missing treasurer is in Russia with one of these brothers who holds an important position with the Czar's government.

Keay was last seen at Vancouver, B.C. He might have crossed the Pacific from there and gone to St. Petersburg via Siberia. Others believe he went to Honduras.

South Pasadena.

ORATORS TALK ON UNITY AT COMMERCE BANQUET.

SOUTH PASADENA, Dec. 15.—The third annual banquet of the South Pasadena Chamber of Commerce, held last evening at Ong's Hall, corner of Mission street and Fair Oaks avenue, was by far the largest affair of its kind ever attempted in the city. Covers were laid for 257 people, and every seat was occupied. Two hundred more tickets could have been disposed of had there been accommodations.

Inter-city co-operation was the keynote of the evening. All the speakers supported the plan to have Pasadena, South Pasadena and Alhambra work in conjunction harmoniously in the ownership and development of public utilities and parks. William Hazlett, the second vice-president, who acted as toastmaster, stated that the South Pasadena Chamber of Commerce was a live institution, to be used for the upbuilding of South Pasadena. That the cars of progress were moving rapidly, and if we did not "stop, look and listen," we would be left behind; that we must maintain friendly relations with other cities, especially with Alhambra, and Pasadena. That there was need of sewers, and a great many other things which we cannot get alone, and that in unity there is strength.

Force Parker, responding to the toast of "The Future of California," and reppesenting the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, suggested that the people of this vicinity take their matters of importance, concerning the welfare of the city, to the Chamber of Commerce for discussion. He spoke of the benefits of Los Angeles union, of the Owens River water, the magnificent harbor that will be ours. That the county has five times as many inhabitants as it did ten years ago, that the building permits were fifteen to one, and that when the Owens River water reaches here, it will produce 258 million gallons every twenty-four hours, for consumption.

W. W. Ogier, representing the Pasadena Board of Trade, and responding to the toast "Strength in Unity," spoke of the vital needs, the vital necessities, such as a supply of water for now and the future, drainage, sewer, fire protection, school systems, parks stretching from the mountain to the sea, for mutual interest, could be worked out only by the community of interest plan, which has been started by the South Pasadena Chamber of Commerce.

That there would be difficulties, not geographically, financial or engineering, but tempermental, petty jealousies, watching where ideas come from, each city wanting to get the best of the bargain, each wanting to know what the other will put forth. Good congenial, harmonious commissioners will solve the problem. Three splendid cities, each keeping its own identity, and working to their best interests to solve the problems before them.

Edgar O. Fawcett, president of the Alhambra Board of Trade, responded to the toast, "Neighbors, Friends, Co-operators," said that there was a great necessity for friendliness, neighborliness and co-operation in solving the problems before the three communities, which has been started with great credit to and by the South Pasadena Chamber of Commerce, and ended with the following toast:

"Here's to South Pasadena, our friends,
Here's to Pasadena, our neighbors,
Here's to Alhambra, South Pasadena and
Pasadena, the co-operators."

"The City Beautiful" was responded to by George W. Adams, representing the Board of Trustees of this city. He stated that the city should be developed, constructed and laid out on broad and harmonious lines. Should have wide streets, parkings, uniform tree planting, etc. He mentioned the Women's Improvement Association, the Lincoln Park League, and the Oneonta Civic League, and the work they were doing to beautify the city and that the Arroyo Seco Park, now under consideration, would be the crowning part of our city beautiful.

John D. Reavis, president of the Chamber of Commerce, concluded the evening with a lecture on his trip around the world, describing his experiences in Japan, Manila, China, India, Java, Egypt, Palestine, Greece, Italy, Switzerland and Germany, and showed over one hundred artistically-colored stereopticon slides made from photographs taken on the trip.

Santa Monica.

KITCHEN CABINET WILL SELECT CITY OFFICERS.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 15.—A feature of municipal politics unique in California, if not in the Union, will develop within the next few days, or as soon as Mayor-elect Dow returns from an outing on the desert, where he is recovering after a strenuous campaign of three months. Seven women of the city will each have a finger in the municipal pie, and with them will be fourteen men.

Agreeable to ante-election promises, this body of twenty-one will be deputies to the Mayor. He was elected on his pledge to the people to be guided in his administration and to be governed in his appointments, messages, vetoes and official acts by the advice of these deputies. Feeling assured of his election, several days before the votes were cast, he appointed the fourteen men, selecting one from each ward of the city. These fourteen municipal advisers accepted the trust, with the agreement to the public that the two chosen from each ward would name a woman to act with them as counselors to the Mayor.

The choice of the women who are to assist in conducting the affairs of the city for the next term will be made during the next few days and their naming will be followed immediately by a session of the board of advisors, whom a wit has dubbed the "kitchen cabinet." At that session the forthcoming message is expected to be roughly drafted and names of the ineligibles erased from the list of probable employees.

For police judge, J. J. Carrillo and Edwin Brown are mentioned; Chief of Police, E. Randall and F. L. Calkins; City Attorney, R. R. Tanner, L. G. Susimihl and H. W. Taft; City Engineer, T. H. James and J. A. Morton.

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AGAIN ARRESTED.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 15.—J. B. Galivan, trainmaster of the Santa Fe Railroad, was re-arrested here today on the charge of having violated the "full crew" act. The action was in accordance with the determination of Dist.-Atty. Goodcell and officials of the railroad to test the act in the Supreme Court, the Court of Appeals having failed to agree on an interpretation of the measure in a former case in which Galivan was similarly charged. His bail was fixed at $100 and he immediately applied to the Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus.

If in doubt try CORONADO BEACH.

HOTEL CHANGE.

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An interesting change in the board of directors of the Potter Hotel Company was made today at the annual meeting of stockholders. The Ford brothers, Tod and Freeman, of Pasadena, who have been directors since the company was organized were dropped from the directorate and were supplanted by E. W. Cason and S. D. McFarlane, both of Los Angeles. Other directors are: M. M. Potter, president and general manager; D. T. Perkins, vice-president and treasurer; William Woods, secretary; Donald Barker, Los Angeles; Senator T. R. Bard, Hueneme.

Music at CORONADO—Ohlmeyer.

TO LOWER RECORD.

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 15.—Determined that attempts to lower the automobile speed record between Los Angeles and Santa Barbara shall cease, Sheriff Stewart went to Los Angeles today and placed under arrest T. J. Beaudet and his mechanician for the feat of last Tuesday morning, when they drove a Cadillac from the city to Los Angeles in two hours and forty-two minutes. Each put up $500 bond for appearance here for trial.

December is grand at CORONADO.

PROSPECTORS CONVENTION.

BISHOP, Dec. 15.—There will be a prospectors' convention at Bishop, in Inyo county, January 24-25, for the purpose of organizing the "Prospectors' Alliance of America." It is proposed to unite the mining interests in all its branches to fight the Forestry Department's extreme conservation views, which would have the government license prospectors, and close the public domain to all but whom have secured such licenses.

H. W. Wills is now the manager of "HOTEL DEL CORONADO."

EL CENTRO POSTOFFICE.

WASHINGTON (D. C.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Postoffice Department has accepted the proposal by Thomas J. Douglass of Los Angeles to lease new quarters on the north side of Main street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in El Centro, for a term of ten years, beginning April 1, 1912, or date of occupancy, including heat, light, water, safe and all equipments.

Ohlmeyer music at CORONADO.

ORANGE.

ORANGE, Dec. 15.—For an hour last night Lauri Haaltenermi, driver for a meat market, lay beside a road with a broken leg, sustained in a fall from a bicycle. He was discovered by a boy, who brought help.

NEW CARRIER.

WASHINGTON (D. C.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] P. R. Collins has been appointed carrier for rural route No. 4, Fullerton, to fill the vacancy, and Hugh Badgley has been appointed substitute.

NEW ROAD IS ASSURED.

Hanford Is Delighted Over Announcement That it Is On the Line of the New Railroad.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HANFORD, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With the arrival of D. W. Burns of Stockton, who is a representative of the Tidewater and Southern Railroad, it was announced that the survey for this line, which will extend from Stockton to Bakersfield, will pass through Hanford from Fresno.

He confirmed reports of the completion of the proposed road by the last of 1912. It is said the railroad is laying steel on its route between Stockton, Modesto and Turlock. Burns state d that the work south of Turlock would be started as soon as the first lap of the road is completed. The proposed route from Fresno to Hanford almost parallels the Santa Fe line.

WAGON CRUSHES HEAD.

Bakersfield Teamster Falls Off Vehicle and Meets Instant Death Under the Wheels.

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 13.—Walter Parsley, a teamster of Fellows, probably during an attack of heart trouble, with which he was afflicted, fell from his lead wagon today and the wheels of the trailer passed over his head, killing him instantly. Parsley was starting from Fellows to McKittrick with six mules and two wagons loaded with oil-well supplies and had gone something over a mile when the accident occurred. His body was found shortly after by Ed Shortridge, driver of the automobile stage between Fellows and McKittrick.

Parsley was 22 years old and leaves a widow and child. His parents live in Missouri, and Mrs. Parsley's parents live in Fresno. The body will be taken to the latter place for burial.

DIES BEFORE AN IDOL.

Standing Before a Material God a Well-to-Do Oriental Sent a Bullet Through His Heart.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FRESNO, Dec. 15.—Standing before a Chinese idol, Lem San Ching, said to be a Chinese cook, and who arrived this morning from San Francisco, shot himself through the heart today.

The tragedy occurred in the local headquarters of the Bow On Tong Company. When discovered an expensive cigar that the suicide had lighted a few moments before was lying at his feet. Local officers believe there is an element of a tong mystery in the case. In a pocket of the dead man's coat was found a card with the name "Lem Yin." Deceased had the appearance of being a well-to-do merchant.

He said he was a member of the Bow On Tong Company. That Ching was a hunted man, without hope of escape, is the opinion of local officers. He was about 40 years of age.

Either Or.

ULTIMATUM OF REBELS SENT TO PEACE ENVOYS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PEKING, Dec. 15.—Fighting continues in the vicinity of Shih Kai Chwang. The commander of the imperialist troops there recently asked the government to send him $300,000 Mexican, with which to pay the troops. He received a reply promising him $10,000.

The money was not forthcoming, however, an das discontent among his troops was spreading, the commander seized the opportunity to break the armistice and keep his men engaged until the funds with which to pay them arrive.

Elsewhere in the empire all is reported quiet.

WANT ALL MANCHUS TO WITHDRAW.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SHANGHAI, Dec. 15.—The national convention which is to be held at Nanking is expected to hold its first session soon. It is believed the members are awaiting the last word from Tang Shao Yai, the representative of Premier Yuan Shi Kai, and from Dr. Sun Yat Sen, the Chinese reformer, who was last reported as having arrived at Penang, before announcing their selection of members of the provisional government. Many influential Chinese in the south believe Tang Shao Yai, on behalf of the Premier, will propose to retain for the present the Emperor, the wife of the Regent, the members of the court and the Cabinet on the list of pensions.

They also will propose that all Manchus, except those belonging to the imperial family shall withdraw, and that autonomy shall be granted to every province, the national congress, however, to control all expenditures.

It is believed the acceptance of these propositions under strong guarantees of good faith would be urged by a powerful element of the reform party.

WOULD BANISH NOBLES TO THE HOT RIVER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Immediate abdication of the Manchu Emperor and recognition of the republic or renewal of hostilities, are in the instructions sent yesterday by Gen. Li Yuen Heng, commander-in-chief of the revolutionary forces, to the republican representative in the Shanghai peace conference, according to dispatches received today by the revolutionary junta in this city.

Gen. Li, now in Wu Cheng, is reported as having declared the revolutionary army is in a position to enforce the republic's terms. A portion of the text of Gen. Li's message is given as follows:

"Hostilities will be renewed at once unless Tang Shao Yai, representative of the Imperial government in the peace conference in Shanghai, agrees to the immediate abdication of the Manchu Emperor and recognition of the republic.

"I have an army of 50,000 veterans, well equipped with arms and ammunition and can be in Peking in ten days if our terms are refused."

The republic's representative was further informed, the advices state, that the banishment of the Manchu nobles to the Hot River in Manchuria must be insisted upon.

Gen. Li also stated that with the exception of the recognition of the monarchy, the proposals of the Imperialists as to constitutional and other reforms were satisfactory to the revolutionary leaders.

The Chinese National Association sent, today, $40,000 gold to the revolutionary authorities at Hongkong. This money was raised in the United States, Canada, the West Indies and Central America. In addition, the Chinese Six Companies several days ago sent $25,000 gold as part of the new $2,000,000 loan which it is attempting to raise. The money contributed by the national association is a direct gift, although the new government takes the names of the donators with a view to repayment at some future time.

PLACARDS POSTED, FOREIGNERS WARNED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

AMOY, Dec. 15.—Extreme anti-foreign feeling prevails at Changpu, where the English and Roman Catholic mission buildings were burned in 1906 by a Boxer mob. Many placards threatening foreigners have been posted.

Yuan Hung Kwach, the military governor of Southern Fo Kien, has sent a request to the foreign consuls to recall all the missionaries to Amoy as the authorities cannot assume any responsibility for the lives of those in the interior.

PAY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYES.

Civil Service Reform League Wants Them to Get Enough and be Obliged by Law to Save Some.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—Government employees should receive compensation which would enable them to contribute to an old-age retirement fund, according to the report of the Special Committee on Superannuation, made today to the annual meeting of the National Civil Service Reform League, in session here.

"If the salaries of the government's civil employees are adequate as compared with salaries for similar employment outside the public service, so that the employees can properly be expected, as ordinarily prudent men, to lay by a sufficient amount year by year to provide for their own old age, it is no hardship that the government should compel them to make such provision, and it is neither reasonable, nor does it tend towards personal thrift and economy, for the government to add to such salary a pension for life, at great expense to the taxpayers," the committee reported.

"Whenever the salaries or compensations of the government employees as now fixed are not sufficient to enable them to maintain the standard of living to which their positions entitle them, the necessary advances in salary or compensation should be made."

Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard University, was re-elected president of the league. All the other officers were re-elected.

PART OF CREW RESCUED.

Sixty Men Taken Off Wrecked Steamer Delhi and Efforts Will be Made to Save Bullion.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TANGIER, Dec. 15.—A moderation in the weather late this afternoon permitted the rigging of a second breeches buoy from the steamer Delhi to the land, and sixty members of the crew of 100 who had stood by the vessel since she went aground Wednesday were taken off.

The captain and forty members of the crew of the Delhi still remain on board and when the stormy weather abates will make an effort to save the specie the vessel carries.

MINISTER ADMITS GUILT.

Bozeman (Mont.) Divine Confesses Grand Larceny and Says He Is Ready to Go to Prison.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSEMAN (Mont.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "I am guilty and there's no use to fight the case," said the Rev. Joseph B. Hedberg, the former minister of the Swedish Church of Anaconda, who was brought back from St. Paul by Sheriff Sales to be tried on the charge of grand larceny in Gallatin county.

When taken before Justice W. Y. Smith today, Hedberg declared himself willing to go to the penitentiary. He was bound over to the District Court on $2000 bond which he is unable to raise and which he says he will make no effort to raise.

While in St. Paul Hedberg wrote to Miss Christine Mattson here, from whom he had obtained $500 on fraudulent promises to aid a dying widow, and declared the stories published about him were lies and that he would come back and prove it. He is now ready to make a clean breast to the County Attorney.

The Rev. Mr. Hedberg fled from Anaconda with a woman.

RELICS TO BE DONATED.

Bill in Congress to Present Parts of Battleship Maine to Cities and Societies.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Portions of the wreck of the battleship Maine, now being cleared of mud and debris in Havana harbor, are to be donated to cities, patriotic societies and the survivors or heirs of survivors of the Maine, under a plan presented to the House today in the urgent deficiency bill.

The bill carries $2,270,000. It authorizes an additional appropriation of $250,000 for raising the Maine, making a total appropriation of $900,000 for that purpose.

The bill would also authorize the Secretary of War to "give some portion of the wreck" to the Republic of Cuba, for incorporation in a public monument to be erected in Havana.

The work of raising the wreck is nearing completion. The urgent deficiency bill will be rushed through the House tomorrow, it is expected, and passed on by the Senate early next week. The money now on hand will be used up by the War Department on December 20, at the present rate of work and Department officials have advised the Appropriation Committee that if the wreck is to be towed to the United States, an additional expense of $100 a day will be necessary.

The bill includes $500,000 for further work in the Census Bureau, a cut of 50 per cent. from the estimate; $350,000 to complete two revenue cutters now building in Newport News, for which $150,000 was appropriated last year; $154,000 mileage for members of the House; $47,000 mileage for Senators; $65,916 for public buildings, and $427,000 for the Bureau of Engraving and Printing because of the unexpected demand for new small bills.

CHARGE CAUSES SURPRISE.

Prominent Business Man of Boise Must Return to Illinois to Face Serious Accusation.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOISE (Idaho) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A sensation was sprung in business circles here today when S. T. Schreiber, a well-known and prominent real estate man, was arrested on the charge of embezzlement preferred against him in his former home, Rockford, Ill., to where he must return to answer the allegations by standing trial. Schreiber declares that his arrest is the result of a political conspiracy on the part of his enemies in Illinois.

The officials here are in possession of facts that show Schreiber was arrested and convicted in Rockford several years ago on a charge concerning the collection of money. He was found guilty and fined $500 or thirty days in jail, but carried the case to the Supreme Court and won. It is on a similar charge he is now wanted.

FIGURES COST OF BOOKS.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—Statements of debaters on the text-book question in the Senate that the cost of the books for school pupils averaged as high as $5 a year, caused Superintendent Hyatt to figure out the cost today. His statement shows that for the year 1910-11, the cost of books for each pupil averaged 70 cents. His figures are as follows:

1907-8—Average cost, 60 cents per pupil.

1908-9—Average cost, 54 cents per pupil.

1909-10—Average cost, 68 cents per pupil.

1910-11—Average cost, 70 cents per pupil.

The cost was obtained by dividing the total sales of text-books at the postpaid price to pupils of the schools for the year.

SURPLUS OF CARS.

Increase of Twenty-five Per Cent. Piled Up in Two Weeks According to Railway Bulletin.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A total surplus of 53,840 cars throughout the country is shown in the current bulletin of the American Railway Association relative to car surpluses and shortages. The present surplus represents an increase of 10,781 cars over the two-weeks' period ended November 22 last, or an addition of 25 per cent. The surplus increase is most noticeable in coal cars, the latter increasing from 12,346 cars November 22 to 20,662 December 6.

The box car surplus shows an increase of 500 cars as compared with the report for November 22, and flat and miscellaneous cars increased 928 and 1037, respectively.

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ROAD PRESIDENTS MEET AND PLAY Ggolf.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...BARA, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Following a ... of several hours to... President E. P. Ripley of ... and President William ... the Southern Pacific, de... meeting was of no par... and that they had not ... personal problems of any ... President Ripley and ... Ripley made the same state... a conference here nine ... and subsequent develop... to the contrary.

... months after the con... Ripley and Ripley that the ... of their meeting ... out. It was learned ... of their conference ... upon railroad problems ... to the West, one ... the Santa Fe to give ... Pacific entrance to San ... the other for the two cor... contributes an equal ... the construction of a rail... coast from San Francisco. ... being anxious to tap ... lumber territory in Ore... finding able to stand the ...

... matters were practically settled between Lovett and Ripley is said to be a fact, the Southern Pacific having already made extensive plans for extending its road to San Diego and surveyors having taken up the northern extension proposition.

Neither President Ripley nor President Sproule would confirm the statement today that they had taken steps for furthering this deal, but it is believed this was one of the chief reasons for the conference. President Sproule arrived in Santa Barbara last evening and this morning he was called upon at an early hour by President Ripley who invited him to the Santa Barbara Country Club to engage in a game of golf. Mr. Sproule accepted the invitation to the club, but is not a golf devotee and he spent a couple of hours watching Mr. Ripley and H. W. Deforrest, a Montecito multi-millionaire, who is also interested in the Santa Fe, play.

Mr. Sproule covered the course with Mr. Ripley and they interspersed business with pleasure. During the afternoon the two presidents of great railroad systems took a long auto ride and while viewing the beautiful Santa Barbara scenery, continued their conversation relative to business matters.

President Sproule left Santa Barbara tonight for San Francisco.

San Diego.

...LEGED SMUGGLERS BOUND OVER FOR TRIAL.

...DIEGO, Dec. 15.—Charged with ... receive five-tael tins of ... the United States Louis ... and Martin Men... were this afternoon ... by the Federal ... bonds of $1500 each ... preliminary hearing was held ... Commissioner ... charges of smuggling ... Chinese into the United ... Martin Mendoza, Noel, ... and C. W. Lung will ... Commissioner Christian, ... preliminary ... Martin Men... represented by ... in behalf of the ... Collector of the Port Walter T. Blake, there being no representative of the United States District Attorney's office present.

Only one witness testified. Gus Jones, an immigration inspector, told of the capture of Martin Mendoza and Noel at San Juan by the sea. He stated that in company with Inspector Allison he halted the automobile. Jones stated he noticed the Mexican held his hands beneath the laprobe which he drew back and found that Mendoza was clutching a 45-caliber revolver. This he took and turned over to Allison. He next uncovered a bundle in the rear seat of the automobile and found a Chinaman and in the tool box the opium was found.

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TODAY AND TONIGHT.

THEATERS.

Auditorium—"Debutante Vaudeville", 2:15 p.m.
Adolphus—Vaudeville .....2:30, 7:30, 9:00 p.m.
Belasco—"Brewster's Millions", 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Burbank—"The Little Joker", 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Empress—Vaudeville .....2:30, 7:45, 9:00 p.m.
Grand—"Wang" .....2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Garrick—Vaudeville .....Continuous
Lyceum—"His Absent Boy" ..2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Majestic—"The Passing of the Third Floor Back" .....2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Mason—"In the Old Town" ...2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Orpheum—Vaudeville .....2:00 and 8:00 p.m.
Pantages—Vaudeville .....2:30, 7:30, 9:00 p.m.
Walker—"Pygmalion and Galatea", 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Loses Automobile.

C. C. Boynton, No. 836 Bonnie Brae street, has lost his new Everett automobile. It was stolen Thursday night. The police have been asked to locate it.

Two Take Motorcycle.

W. C. Morgan, No. 633 Towne avenue, is minus his Indian motorcycle, license number 4506. It was stolen from in front of his home Thursday night by two men.

Missing from Home.

The police have been asked to find Steve Tierhenner, aged 16 years, who is missing from his home, No. 419 South San Pedro street.

Stolen While He Sleeps.

L. G. Albers, No. 605 Wall street, has asked the police to find a gold watch which he says was stolen from his room while he was asleep.

Lecture on Naturalization.

Mrs. Lou V. Chapin will deliver a lecture at the Young Women's Christian Association on Monday evening, during which she will discuss the subject of naturalization, as one phase of citizenship.

On Tax Reform.

"Rational Tax Reform" is the subject of an address to be delivered by Charles Frederick Adams of Brooklyn, before the City Club at the Westminster at noon today. The club invites each attending member to bring a guest.

Francis to Speak.

The meeting of the Evening City Club postponed last Tuesday night on account of the election, will be held at 6 o'clock Tuesday night in the Federation Clubrooms. John H. Francis, superintendent of public schools, will address the members on "Social Centers."

Goes East for Holidays.

Willis N. Mills, special assistant to Atty.-Gen. Wickersham, who has been in Los Angeles for the past month in connection with the land suits against the Southern Pacific Railway, left for his home in Washington, D. C., yesterday, to spend the holidays. He expects to return early in January.

Drops Dead on Street.

An unidentified man, about 50 years of age, dropped dead at the intersection of Third and Main streets early yesterday. From the Receiving Hospital the body was taken to Pierce Brothers' morgue. There was nothing to give the slightest clew to identy. The body will be held for a few days in the hope that it can be identified.

Fire Spreads Quickly.

One house was destroyed, three others were scorched and three sheds were blistered by a fire in the 1100 block on Cahuenga avenue, shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The fire loss will not exceed $250. The fire broke out in a tent house, which was destroyed. It spread rapidly to the other structures. How the fire started is not known.

Reception of Welsh Choir.

The Welsh residents of the city will tender a reception this afternoon at 2:30 at the Y.M.C.A. to Mme. Hughes-Thomas and the members of the Royal Welsh Ladies' Choir, now visiting the city. All the Welsh people and their friends are invited, and each one who reads the announcement is requested to telephone to his friends this morning, in order that the reception may be a success. It is entirely free.

Land Show Conference Today.

The conference for the purpose of completing plans for the land show will be held at Hotel Alexandria this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Many representative men of California and adjoining States will be present. Addresses setting forth the great advantages of the land show will be given, after which the general outline of the arrangements will be shown. M. F. Tarpey of Fresno, who will preside, at the conference, arrived yesterday. Members of the Advisory Committee of the Pacific Land and Products' Exposition will act as the Reception Committee. The show will be held in Fiesta Park March 12 to 28.

BREVITIES.

Dairymen Take Notice—The United Milk Producers' Association of Southern California will meet at Masonic Hall, 431 S. Hill st., Los Angeles, Cal., on aSturday, Dec. 16, at 1:00 p.m. All members must attend, and bring all your friends who are in the dairy business. Important!

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Casting Up.

THOUSANDS OF BAD VOTES HIT.

FRAUDULENT ELECTORS LEAVE AND ESCAPE.

District Attorney's Office Explains Why There Are Few Convictions Now of Men Arrested at City Election; Majority Get Away Before Police Reach Their Residences.

"Ten thousand fraudulent votes would have been cast in the recent city election but for the precautions taken by the District Attorney's office," said Assistant District Attorney Hill yesterday.

The statement was made in the course of an explanation of why so many of the cases of illegal registration called in the Justice Courts are dismissed. Such a case was that of George W. Young of No. 525 Wall street, dismissed yesterday morning by Judge Reeves on motion of the District Attorney's office, because there was no evidence of criminal intent.

"That the majority of the ninety-four warrants issued from this office for illegal registration were well-founded," Hill continued, "is shown by the fact that when the officers went to serve the papers after the list had been published, and to make arrests, sixty of the men were discovered to have levanted during the night. They would not have jumped town if it had not been that they were guilty. This office was not bluffing and we think that in the one case, that of John J. Hicks, sent to the Superior Court, we have a good case against him.

"In one precinct where we had reason to believe that fraudulent registration had been practiced to an unusual degree, there were 1100 registered voters. Into that district we sent five special officers armed with warrants and we caused it to be made known that anyone on our list who attempted to vote should be instantly arrested. It can't be proved, of course, that this action did it, but it seems to be significant that in that big precinct there were cast less than 500 votes."

The reason for the many dismissals, Hill explained, was that the landlords where lists did not contain the names cited, now appeared and admitted that they had forgotten to put the names down.

"The work was necessarily hurried and in the haste they overlooked some," said Hill, "and now when they come in they tell us the situation. There is nothing to do but to dismiss the case."

CASE NEAR TO END.

Thompson Evidence Completed with Fireworks when Accused Attorney Calls Witness a Perjurer.

The Fred H. Thompson case was concluded yesterday except the instructions to the jury and the final arguments to that body. These will follow Tuesday morning, and it is expected by that evening the verdict of the jury will have been rendered.

A sensational turn was given the case yesterday when Dudley Robinson and William Willis, attorneys who were associated with Thompson in the "Arizona Jack" case, gave evidence in rebuttal. They did not testify at the former trial.

It had been claimed by Thompson in his defense that he had secured $2500 from an unnamed rich uncle of Allen for defending the murderer of Deputy Constable DeMornville, at Newhall; this to explain the fact that he had a large sum of money about the time that he undertook the defense of Altorre.

Robinson and Willis testified that they did not receive a cent for their work in the Allen case; that they never heard of a rich uncle of their client; that Robinson was compelled to give Allen an old suit of clothes in order to make him presentable in the courtroom when the case was tried; that Allen was penniless when in jail, and when he was released by a verdict of acquittal the two witnesses furnished him with a suit of clothes to leave town.

When court adjourned for the noon recess, Thompson, evidently angry at the evidence given by his former associates in the Allen trial, hotly charged Willis with committing perjury in his evidence.

WHY SHE LOST HER JOB.

Woman Put Off Car Beyond Her Station Misses Carriage and Contract and Sues Pacific Electric.

Because a conductor forgot to tell her when she came to Baldwin Park Station, Mary C. Hubert says in a suit instituted yesterday in the justice court against the Pacific Electric Company, a long train of trouble followed. She asks $280 damages.

If the train had stopped as she told the conductor to make it stop, at Baldwin Park, she declares there would have been a carriage there to meet her. As it was, the carriage was on hand, but the train passed on without warning, so the carriage went its way and the train went its way, too, and deposited the plaintiff in a wild and desert place. Thence she made her way, she says, lugging a heavy suit case. Ultimately she reached Baldwin Park, and walked to the Frank Frazier dairy, which is a mile from that station.

Frazier had contracted with her to do the cooking and housework at his place for three months. But after two weeks of it she was dismissed.

The suit says this action was taken by Frazier because she had become overheated, physically exhausted and unfit for her labors on the fateful day when the conductor, according to her assertion, forgot to stop the car at Baldwin Park.

THIRD WORSE THAN FIRST.

Old Rule Does Not Work With Horses Says Plaintiff in Justice Court Suit—Wants Money Back.

Three times and out is a good rule for horses as well as other things, says F. W. Johnson, who is suing D. H. Hurley for $200 damages. Johnson asserts in a complaint filed in the Justice Court yesterday that he bought of Hurley a horse warranted to be "sound, gentle, city-broken, not over ten years of age and in all respects, a reliable horse suited to plaintiff's needs in drawing plaintiffs' delivery wagon."

The horse, Johnson declares, was not as represented, so Hurley gave him another, but made him pay $10 to boot. The second was not so good as the first, the plaintiff declares, and he told Hurley so.

Hurley furnished another horse for Johnson.

This third horse, Johnson says, was not only not satisfactory, but "was decrepit, over the age of ten years and wholly unfit."

When he asked Hurley for his money, Hurley refused to pay it. There was $110 coming, says Johnson, but he was damaged $90 in addition to wasting time with the three horses. So he asks for $200.

WILL EXTERMINATE VICE.

Bakersfield Grand Jury Calls Keepers of Dives and Gives Fifteen Days to Clear Out.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The final quietus is to be placed on the Bakersfield Tenderloin January 1. Still following out the instructions of Judge Mahon, the grand jury today called before it the keepers of the parlor houses and gave them until that date to go out of business. All the cribs have been closed for several weeks. The fifteen days of grace was given the parlor houses on the representation that it would take that long to settle up bills outstanding.

Five of the owners of property in the Tenderloin were before the grand jury today and peace officers from the West Side oil fields also were on the carpet. Through the latter were dispatched orders for the closing of the ill-fame resorts of the West Side. Tomorrow another batch of officials from country towns will come before the county inquisitors, who are surprising the public by the literal manner in which they are carrying out the instructions of the court. It is generally accepted that the reform now on will be the most sweeping in the history of the county.

STANDARD PLANS.

An unverified report is the effect that the Standard Oil Company will soon begin duplicating its eight-inch pipe line from the Kern River field to its refinery at Point Richmond. Materials delivered at the pumping stations are the chief foundation for the report which the local officials refuse to confirm.

The Standard has secured rights of way for a pipe line from the Lost Hills to Pinda pumping station on the main line to Point Richmond. Some years ago the Standard duplicated its eight-inch line between the Midway field and Kern River and these facts give some color to the latest report.

GYPSUM CLAIMANTS LOSE.

Noted Case in the Kern County Court is Decided in Favor of the Plaintiff.

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 14.—The contest over the east half of section 22, 32-24, which has been going on before a jury in Judge Bennett's court for more than a week past, was decided today in favor of W. J. Schultz, the plaintiff, after the jury had deliberated about twenty-five minutes.

The defendants, whom Schultz maintained were trespassers, were W. A. Moore, known locally as "Slim" Moore; J. F. Walters, Joe Eataugh and others. They claimed the land under a discovery of gypsum, but the jury decided that they had no claim which would give them possession of the land adversely to Schultz and his associates, who have been diligently drilling for oil since prior to the withdrawal orders affecting the land. With Schultz are associated Capt. F. F. Weed and six others, and it is stated that they have spent $150,000 in the development of the land. They have not yet made discoveries that entitle them to patent the whole half-section, but now that they have cleared up this contest it is epected they soon will do so. The land is at the lower end of the Midway valley, on the southern slope of the Buena Vista hills, and is supposed to be very valuable territory.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

BEMAN—WILSON. William W. Beman, 24; Alice V. Wilson, 20.
BOKLO—HIRSCH. Benjamin Boklo, 26; Lida M. Hirsch, 24.
BRADLEY—KNIGHT. Allen E. Bradley, Jr., 21; Carelta Knight, 19.
CRASSINI—ROSINA. Emeli Crassini, 22; Varvelle Rosina, 19.
FELICY—WIDAR. August Felicy, 53; Hilda Widar, 22.
HALL—JOHNSON. Charles S. Hall, 27; Lola R. Johnson, 30.
HEDIN—SCHRIMER. Melvin A. Hedin, 23; Estella V. Schrimer, 21.
JOHNSON—ROSSITER. John A. Johnson, 30; Ellen Rossiter, 28.
JONES—CARPENTER. Isaac N. Jones, 68; Cora W. Carpenter, 42.
KIRK—WHITMORE. Henry J. Kirk, 24; Ruth E. Whitmore, 18.
LLOYD—BAKER. Ernest W. Lloyd, 31; Beulah M. Baker, 26.
OSBURN—HOKE. Horner C. Osburn, 22; Maida F. Hoke, 19.
POWELL—USHER. Charles H. Powell, 22; Hannah Usher, 23.
RILEY—BRADY. Mathew Riley, 34; Anna L. Brady, 30.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ALLISON. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford S. Boy. 410 College street. December 4.
BATELLA. Mr. and Mrs. John. Boy. Vermont and Boyle avenues. December 10.
BELL. Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester D. Boy. 211 Omar street. December 13.
CAPAGI. Mr. and Mrs. George. Boy. 2216 Enterprise street. December 9.
CHRISTENSEN. Mr. and Mrs. David. Boy. 1105½ East Twelfth street. December 11.
GEISSLER. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Daughter. Angelus Hospital. December 5.
GONZALES. Mr. and Mrs. Blas. Boy. 749 New High street. December 13.
HILL. Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Boy. 827 West Forty-third street. November 27.
MACKEY. Mr. and Mrs. William R. Boy. 324 North Westlake avenue. November 14.
McVEY. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital. December 12.
MENDEZ. Mr. and Mrs. Ramon E. Daughter. 860 North Hill street. December 10.
MITCHELL. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent. Boy. 212 West Sixty-third street. December 6.
MORSE. Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Daughter. 4059 Clayton avenue. December 8.
MYERS. Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Daughter. 10 Riverside Drive. December 11.
NAKAMURA. Mr. and Mrs. Hikoichi. Daughter. 109 San Pedro street. December 7.
OTIZA. Mr. and Mrs. Damien. Daughter. 1410 Long Beach avenue. December 9.
PIERRE. Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Daughter. Woodlawn avenue. December 9.
PONCE. Mr. and Mrs. John. Daughter. 1543 St. James street. December 10.
REIDER. Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Daughter. 1332 East Twenty-second street. December 4.
SHULTS. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Boy. Pacific Hospital. December 9.
WHITE. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Daughter. 840 Commercial street. December 6.
WILLIAMS. Mr. and Mrs. Roger B. Daughter. 456 South Flower street. December 13.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

GOBLE. Clara B. against Edward A.
HENDERSON. Anna against Leroy M.
POMEROY. Mary A. against Arthur W.
POWER. Daniel against Anna.
SENCENBAUGH. Luella against Wilbur S.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

BELLO. Frances from Nicholas S.
HONS. Nellie from Emil.
ROTHBART. Israel from Elkie.
WOOD. Carrie T. from Fred L.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
BROOKS, Grace L. Los Angeles	36	14
BUTLER, Orion W. Los Angeles	75	13
CORWIN, Elisabeth J. Los Angeles	43	12
GROGAN, Mattie E. Los Angeles	14	13
LAMB, Francis M. Los Angeles	72	15
MARSH, Martha E. Los Angeles	68	13
MORALIS, Antonio. Los Angeles	28	13
PETERSON, Evelyn M. Los Angeles	21	15
RIOS, Margaretta. Los Angeles	70	14
ROULET, Louis. Los Angeles	35	12
WAINDLE, Emma J. Los Angeles	56	14

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

BROOKS. December 14, 1911, Mrs. Grace L. Brooks, of No. 6221 Beard street.
Remains at the parlors of the Highland Park Undertaking Company, where funeral services will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m.

CARR. At Venice at his residence, No. 42 Park avenue, Charles M., aged 57, husband of Ellen, father of Harry and Grace.
Funeral services 2 p.m. Saturday, December 16, from parlors of Bresee Bros. & Todd.
COOLEY. At No. 742 San Julian street, December 15, 1911, Hannah Matilda Cooley.
Remains at Bresee Brothers. Notice of funeral later.
ELISSAGUE. In Sierra Madre, December 13, 1911, John Elissague, aged 44 years, a native of France.
Funeral Saturday, December 16, 9 a.m., from the chapel of Godeau & Martinoni, 827 South Figueroa. Services 9:30 a.m., Plaza Church. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.
LAMB. At No. 310 South Normandie, Francis M. Lamb, father of Mrs. L. A. Lauer.
Funeral from chapel at Rosedale Cemetery, Saturday, 2 p.m. (Chicago and London, Ont., papers please copy.)
LATHAN. December 14, Sarah J. Lathan.
Funeral today at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Robert L. Garrett & Co.
ROBINSON. At No. 1007 Elden avenue, December 15, 1911, Julia S. Robinson, aged 64 years.
Remains at Bresee Brothers. Interment, Rock Island, Ill.
WATSON. In this city, December 13, 1911, Jennie McDougal Watson.
Remains at Bresee Brothers. Notice of funeral later.

CARD OF THANKS.

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Announce that Work Will Begin on New Campus.

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Old Friends to Be Remembered in the Transfer.

The anxiously-anticipated day of realization has dawned upon Occidental College. All disquieting rumors have been dissipated, and the institution in which Los Angeles takes a justifiable pride, will move forward to its broader sphere without delay.

There was never any reason for a disquieting rumor. President John Willis Baer was secretly working to a definite end, and having attained it, with authority of the trustees, he yesterday announced the immediate beginning of work on the first three buildings on the new campus.

The end he strove to attain was to secure $300,000 in advance of actual work on the first group of buildings, in order that no time-consuming and nerve-racking debt should be accumulated to sap the energy of the executive head when it should be devoted to ethical development of the institution. He got the money, and there was no more gratifying surprise in the announcement of Dr. Baer yesterday than his declaration that with the exception of the comparatively small sum of $30,000, every dollar had been secured from residents of Los Angeles county.

To a great many friends of the college who had gathered in the college building yesterday morning at the last assembly for the year, the announcement that construction would begin at once was a complete surprise, though they may have marveled at the array of college officials who filed to the platform, accompanied by Mayor Alexander and several of the heaviest contributors to its expansion fund.

Beside President Baer and the faculty, the following trustees occupied seats on the platform: Dr. Hugh K. Walker, chairman; Frank P. Flint, Rev. Robert Freeman, Rev. E. S. McKitrick, A. H. Fleming, Giles Kellogg, W. G. Patterson, Rev. W. S. Young, Willis H. Booth, W. E. McVay. Among the other gentlemen to occupy chairs were Mayor Alexander, City Clerk Handley, O. T. Johnson, Charles M. Stimson and a number of others.

LETS OUT THE YELL.

Immediately after the assembly had been opened, the first announcement of Dr. Baer turned bedlam loose. He said:

"The trustees of Occidental College announce that the way is now open for the beginning of work on the new campus, and that Myron Hunt, the architect for Greater Occidental, has already received orders to rush the working plans for the Hall of Letters, the Hall of Sciences and the first dormitory. As soon as contractors' bids can be received, the preliminary draining and grading accomplished, actual construction of the buildings will begin and will be pushed to completion."

Great applause and a "yell" from the student body greeted the announcement.

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SUPREME BENCH MAY SAVE HIM.

Man Fight His Way Through Courts to Escape a Jail Sentence for Drunk.

Convicted on a charge of plain drunk and sentenced to serve ninety days in the City Jail by Police Judge Frederickson several weeks ago, G. M. Thelkeld appealed to the Superior Court and then to the Court of Appeals in attempts to secure his liberty on writs of habeas corpus. The Appellate Court yesterday sustained Judge McCormick by refusing to grant the writ. Thelkeld may carry the case to the Supreme Court of California in the effort to save himself from jail.

By Trolley.

LINKS OF STEEL TO A NEW CITY.

Gala Day to Mark Opening of Line to Van Nuys.

First Electric Cars on the Stroke of Six Today.

Sixty Minutes from Broadway Is the Schedule.

Sightseers, investors, participating owners, and pleasure seekers in great number will share in the barbecue and celebration commemorating the completion of the Pacific Electric extension to the town of Van Nuys in the fruitful San Fernando Valley today.

The first train on the regular daily schedule will leave the Hill-street station of the company in Los Angeles at 6 o'clock this morning. At the same moment the initial train from Van Nuys will leave for Los Angeles. The service thereafter will be frequent.

Traffic Passenger D W. Pontius announced yesterday a special excursion rate of 50 cents for the round trip, which will be in effect today only, and will not be given except on tickets purchased at the station on Hill street. Announcement was also made that special service would supplement the regular schedule in order that no delay may be had in transporting visitors to and from Van Nuys.

It is the purpose of the Los Angeles Suburban Homes Company, of which H. J. Whitley is general manager, to afford the thousands of visitors expected an opportunity for a full inspection of the wonderful development which has transformed a barley field to a populous suburban residence center, tapped by boulevards, reached by steam and electric railroads, together with a town of 550 population, well equipped with mercantile establishments, all in less than nine months' time.

THE PROGRAMME.

"We want those who have invested to see what we have done, and we want any and anybody who is interested in the prosperity and development of Southern California to visit Van Nuys tomorrow and see what has been accomplished," said Whitley. "Free automobiles will be provided to take visitors over the tract."

The most distinctive feature of the occasion will be the barbecue that will be served between 12 o'clock noon and 3 o'clock by Senor Jose Romero, perhaps the most noted barbecue chef in Southern California.

The opening of the electric road to Van Nuys links a most fertile and promising territory to Los Angeles by a route that is perhaps as picturesque as any in the Southland. The new line connects with the present Pacific Electric system at Highland avenue at the outskirts of Hollywood and winds through Cahuenga Pass, with a stop at Lankershim, thence to the eastern boundary of the 47,500 acre tract of old-time ranchos, over the new boulevard to Van Nuys and beyond to the outskirts of this new center of population. The construction is of the most expensive type and makes easily possible the sixty-minute schedule for the nineteen miles from the Hill-street station in Los Angeles to its terminus beyond Van Nuys.

LESS THAN YEAR OLD.

Less than a year ago the 47,500 acres embraced in the Van Nuys-Lankershim ranchos changed hands. A broad scheme for the improvement and development of the great tract was formed and put into execution. These included two electric roads projected by the board of control, one to Owensmouth and the other to San

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Versatility.

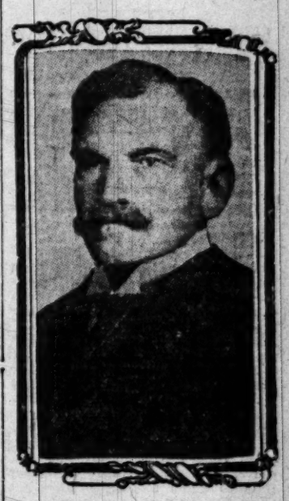
GEN. CHAFFEE AT HEAD OF A LIFE COMPANY.

LIEUT.-GEN. ADNA R. CHAFFEE, U.S.A., (retired) has accepted the presidency of the Great Republic Life Insurance Company of Los Angeles. The position was tendered him by the directors of this corporation formally last Tuesday. He returned his acceptance Thursday evening.

Gen. Chaffee would not accept the place, until he had made a thorough investigation of the company, which has occupied some time, and the formal offer was made after he had satisfied himself with the project.

His acceptance does not mean his immediate retirement from the Board of Public Works, on which he was appointed in 1903 by Mayor Harper, but he will probably remain there until his term expires next February.

The Great Republic company was organized and incorporated last March with a capital stock of $500,000, as a



Gen. Chaffee,

Member of the Board of Public Works, who will be the president of a life insurance company.

he has lived in the work like the most enthusiastic of its projectors. His wide experience in military affairs, particularly in the West, fitted him for the head of the administrative department and much of the great progress is credited to his wisdom.

BALKS AT PRICE OF LAW.

Man Arrested for Stealing Horse and Wagon Says He Sold Vegetable Route, Not Animal.

When Hyman Simonich was held before Justice of the Peace Forbes yesterday to explain why he had run away with the horse and wagon, also the fresh vegetables appertaining to one Sam Berman, he insisted that all he had ever sold for $250 to Berman was a vegetable route, and the horse and wagon still belonged to him. He had been arrested for the larceny of the vehicle and the animal.

"If he will give me $150 and the costs of paying a lawyer for all this trouble he has got me in," said Simonich, "I will give him that horse and wagon."

When this was explained by two interpreters, and a friend to Berman the latter said in near English: "Why should I pay him his costs? Where is that stable man? Why shall I pay the stable man and why shall I pay the lawyer? I have made no money for two days because Simonich went away with my horse and wagon. But I will give him $150, when I get it, but not his lawyer."

"Oh," said the court, "take them away and let them settle this and then come back next week. Tell Simonich to come back and let him out of jail."

So Simonich is free.

DIES AT DAUGHTER'S HOME.

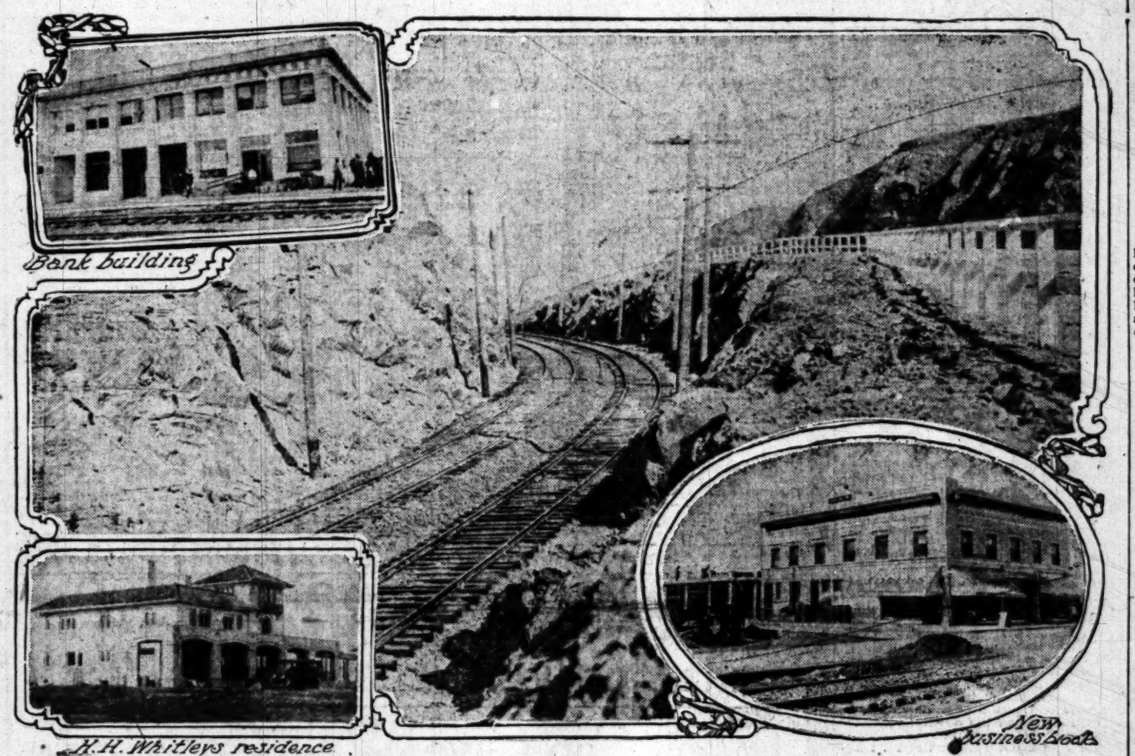
Retired Merchant Succumbs After Four Days' Illness—Formerly a Resident of Santa Monica.

After an illness of four days, Francis M. Lamb died of pneumonia early yesterday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. A. Lauer, No. 310 Normandie avenue.

Lamb was born in Buffalo in 1838, leaving there when a young man for Chicago, where he was a member of the Board of Trade. Later he entered the wholesale business as senior partner of the firm of Lamb & King, flour and feed dealers.

In 1860 Lamb was married to Miss Emeline Buttery, from which union there was one child, Mrs. Lauer, who will probably be the sole heir to his large fortune. Lamb came to California in 1894, making his home for several years with his brother-in-law, Maj. H. P. Schofield of Santa Monica. Later he had made his home in Los Angeles with Dr. and Mrs. Lauer.

Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock today at Rosedale chapel, cremation following.



Through Picturesque Cahuenga Pass to the Thriving Town of Van Nuys in the San Fernando Valley,

Where Pacific Electric cars will run from Los Angeles beginning today. The large picture shows the trolley line on which the best available construction was applied. At this point is a five per cent. compensated grade. On the right, bounded by the white fence, is the modern county road which was moved forty feet to the west and perfectly rebuilt by the Pacific Electric. The smaller views are in Van Nuys.

Last Long Bore Through.

AQUEDUCT TUNNELING ALMOST COMPLETED.

THE completion of the boring of the tunnel on the Little Lake division of the Los Angeles aqueduct yesterday afternoon, known as Tunnel No. 10-A, is the practical end of such work on the great enterprise.

Shortly after noon the two crews of workmen, who have aimed to drill to a center point since March 10, 1910, broke through the final wall with a great blast. The union of the bores was within a fraction of an inch of accuracy.

This is the fifth-longest tunnel on the work, being a clean bore of 5960 feet. The crews met 2185 feet from the north end. The longest tunnel is the Elizabeth Lake, nearly 27,000 feet. It has a nine-foot-wide bottom and a ten-foot top.

With the excavation work on Tunnel No. 10-A ended the work of boring through the mountains, which is a total of 42.85 miles. Last night there was completed of this great distance 42.25 miles, leaving only two small tunnels, one in the Saugus division and another in the Grapevine division, both aggregating only .60 miles, to be finished.

Complete reports from the field work of the great project is almost at an end. Of the 215 miles to be built by the aqueduct department 167.85 miles is now finished and of this 152.50 miles is ready for the water. There remains but 48 miles of excavation, mostly open ditch in the Owens Valley above Haiwee to be built.

The figures do not include the power diversion tunnels at the San Francisquito Canyon, which aggregate about nine miles, and which are making a progress of about one-half a mile a month. The power tunnels are being built by the power bureau to provide the water drops for the turbines in the electrical stations that are to produce 90,000-horse power. But the total of aqueduct tunnels, as originally planned, is practically complete, as to boring, though there is some concreting to be done.

Tunnel No. 10-A has been under way for fifteen months. At one time, when the funds were reduced, work was stopped for two months. The work has been maintained at an average speed of thirteen feet daily. It also marks the practical completion of all work in the Little Lake division, in which there is seven and one-half miles of tunnel alone. The cost of Tunnel No. 10-A was estimated at $16 a foot, but has been completed at a cost of $14, representing a saving of nearly $12,000.

The progress reports of the aqueduct work show that at the present rate, if the finances are kept sufficient, the work will be surely done by January 1, 1913.

Verisimilitude.

SEVEN AUTO SPEEDERS DRIVE OFF DULL CARE.

SIX men and a youth who were caught racing up North Broadway in an automobile in almost perfect alignment late Thursday afternoon, were arraigned before Police Judge Rose yesterday.

"Well, what excuse have you to offer?" asked the court of Dr. Coats, No. 221 North Hill street, the first of the defendants to be arraigned.

"I'm a physician and was responding to an urgent call," was the reply.

"Case dismissed."

The court addressed E. T. Webb.

"I'm a doctor, too," said Webb.

"Willing to hold up your hand and swear to it?"

"Yes."

"Swear."

Webb did so and was discharged.

F. Berbeck came next. He isn't 21 years of age. Justice Rose eyed him closely and remarked dryly:

"Hum, my son, you're hardly old enough to be a doctor. Your excuse?"

"Well, I'm not a doctor," confessed Berbeck, "but I was with the doctors."

"That doesn't help your case a bit. You are fined $25 or twenty-five days."

Berbeck produced the money. While he was doing so, G. W. Chase stepped forward.

"Doctor, too?" asked the court.

"No, sir," replied Chase. "I'm not even a horse doctor."

"Your honesty appeals to me," murmured the court, "but I can't forget that dust you raised yesterday afternoon. How does $25 or twenty-five days look to you through that cloud?"

"Looks as though I'm due to settle," replied the man as he stepped aside to give R. L. Tatum, a real estate operator an opportunity to plead guilty. Tatum handed the clerk of the court $25.

Frank D. Dewar came next. He wore a broad smile.

"Pass me your excuse gently," said the court.

"I wasn't a doctor then, neither am I one now," said the defendant. "I had my three kiddies down town showing them Santa Claus. The youngest got frightened, took a fit and I was getting to a doctor as quickly as I could."

"Couldn't catch up with those two ahead of you, could you?" asked the court.

"No," was the reply. "They were too speedy for me. I did my best, though."

"Evidently," agreed the judge as he imposed a fine of $25 or twenty-five days, and then suspended sentence.

G. S. Bliss was the last one.

"Better late than not at all," he said, in an attempt to be jocular. "Last the best of all the game."

"And your excuse?" interrupted the court.

"Guilty."

"Twenty-five dollars or twenty-five days."

"I'll pay," said Bliss. He did.

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SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Track elevation south of Washington street on the Long Beach line may solve street-grade problems.

Because speculators and witnesses couldn't help laughing when the love story of an old man and young woman was related in Judge Houser's department of the Superior Court yesterday, the courtroom was cleared.

At the City Hall.

RAISE TRACKS ON FAST LINE.

ELEVATION MAY BE PLAN OF PACIFIC ELECTRIC.

Paul Shoup Intimates This Will be Method of Settling Long Beach Route Troubles With New Method of Entering the Downtown Station.

Intimations of track elevation as a solution of the grade crossing problem along the Long Beach line through the city came from Paul Shoup, vice-president in charge of the Pacific Electric lines, to the Board of Public Utilities yesterday.

The change of grades at several crossings was again before the board yesterday and Shoup was asked for an answer as to what he intends to do. For over a year complaints have been filed with the Council and board.

Shoup told the board he is now working out a plan of treatment that may mean elevation of all the tracks south of Washington street. Because these plans are immature and indecisive, he asked the board for further time to make a positive answer to their demand for some course of action. While he did not fix the time the board was led to believe he will ask ninety days.

It is understood that the plans now in mind contemplate more radical changes in the handling of the interurban service at the Pacific Electric depot. North of Washington street it is planned to keep all the southern and southeastern lines at grade and bring them by way of Los Angeles street into the basement of the Pacific Electric depot. This is not entirely consistent with the ideas of the board as to elevation as it has leaned to the belief that elevation should be carried right to the station.

Shoup gave the board a promise that the switching of freight cars on North Broadway and Sunset boulevard, which has caused much complaint, will be ended permanently by April 15 or earlier. The company is rushing work on its new freight depots and expects to have them ready for use in sixty days. This will make the north-end switching unnecessary. Because of the necessity of arranging "long and short haul" schedules and rates, under the new laws, there may be delay until April 15.

The board has not received any responses from the civic organizers which were asked for advice on the structure of a freight-carrying franchise and it has sent out a new request asking for responses without delay. Action without a full expression from the important commercial and civic bodies is not desirable in the judgment of the board.

No answer was made yesterday to the Mayor's request for an expression as to the feasibility of granting a franchise, asked by R. M. Shoemaker, for an independent exchange for interchange of service between the two companies in the city. Thomas Foulkes, member of the board, who has been studying the question, reported that he finds the cost of such a feature not commensurate with the benefits and he doubts its practicability. His formal report is expected at the next meeting of the board.

The Arroyo Seco Chamber of Commerce has asked the Council, if the re-routing of the cars of the Los Angeles Railway Company is to be made according to the plans approved by the Board of Public Utilities, to require the yellow lines to give transfers to all the intersecting Pacific Electric lines. They assert that if this is not done many means now possessed to reach certain destinations will be cut off unless an extra fare is paid.

FAVORS CONCRETE.
HARBOR IMPROVEMENT.

The Harbor Commission transmitted a communication to the Board of Public Works yesterday asking that the "kind, character and location" of the improvements on the Huntington Fill at the harbor be made the subject of "future deliberation."

The action was a direct dispute of the plan proposed by City Engineer Hamlin to construct the improvement of the Huntington Fill with wooden piles instead of concrete and to put in a granite wall instead of concrete and on the wooden and granite substructure to erect the permanent passenger stations, terminals and warehouses.

The board says while it agreed with the plan at the time (September 8, last) it has found reason to request further deliberation.

That the City Engineer recommended important and costly buildings on wooden pilings, instead of using modern concrete supports, was a surprise to the city officials when it was made. Recently Secretary Fleming of the harbor board inspected northern ports, and his report, made this week to the Harbor Commission, favored concrete.

The improvement of the Miner fill, one of the largest in the harbor, is being made with fifty-two-foot reinforced steel and concrete piles and it will be built entirely of this material. When the engineer recommended wood it was with the belief that concrete has not had sufficient test in Pacific waters to demonstrate its security.

The Board of Public Works has referred the request of the Harbor Commission to the Harbor Advisory Committee.

WANT MORE PAY.
WATER WAGON WOES.

Drivers of sprinkling wagons and street-flushing machines have asked for an increase of wages from the Board of Public Works on the ground that they cannot make enough to live on decently. The board sympathizes with the men in their demands, but was unable yesterday to decide what to do.

The street sprinkling wagon drivers receive $2.50 a day, but they assert they are paid only for days they work, and during the last twelve months they have lost 106 days because of rain and wet streets, and that this has reduced their pay from $2.50 a day to $1.70, computed on a yearly average. They say they are willing to work at something else on wet days, but they do not want to lose entirely. They ask an increase to $3 a day.

The flushing-machine drivers furnish teams and receive $4.50 a day. They say they cannot feed and care for their animals and live on the amount. They ask an increase to $5.

Commissioner Humphreys figured that if increases were granted to these classes similar ones must be given to all, and it would affect over 600 men and entail an annual increase in wages of about $90,000.

Recommends Storm Sewers.

Complaints of the damage done by storm waters on Gless street north of First street were answered yesterday by the Board of Public Works with a recommendation to the Council that a storm drain system which will cost $18,000 be ordered to prevent flood damage. The board leaves it to the Council to determine whether it will be built by assessment district or out of municipal funds.

Still Pursuing Roosters.

That the Council did not end the struggle against crowing roosters was made evident yesterday when about fifty persons from all parts of the city joined in a petition asking that the matutinal noises be suppressed by ordinance. "This is a Class A city," says the petition, "and ought to be one in all particulars. If people want rural life let them go to the rural regions and not stay in the city."

At the Courthouse.

LOVE STORY OF AGE AND BEAUTY.

COURTROOM CLEARED BECAUSE SPECTATORS LAUGH.

Effort Is Made to Prove That Handsome Young Woman Accepted Old Man on Account of His Money—She Had Been Married Twice Before, Has Married Since.

Sharp tilts between counsel, the courtroom cleared because witnesses and spectators laughed aloud when the love-making of an old man and a young and beautiful woman was related, and an attempt to uncover an alleged past were the features in the Gleason will contest before Judge Houser of the Superior Court yesterday.

Henry B. Gleason, one of the pioneers of this city, died in June of last year, leaving an estate, according to the widow's inventory, valued at $38,000. Mrs. Lida Corbin, Gleason's sister, who lives in Delhi, Iowa, is contesting the will on the ground that her brother was an habitual drunkard, not of sound mind, and that he was unduly influenced in drawing the document.

Attorney E. B. Drake represents the widow, while George P. Adams is counsel for Mrs. Corbin, and during the trial yesterday Drake was often on his feet objecting to the probing of Adams. The sharpest encounter occurred while George H. McLain was testifying.

Gleason was a widower and when he met the handsome girl, whom he subsequently married, he took McLain in his confidence. The latter was a copartner of Gleason in a drug store.

"He consulted me about Eva," said McLain, "and I told him he was too old a man to marry a girl of 23. I advised him to go away."

Gleason did go to San Luis Obispo and later McLain was informed that he was married. Adams wanted to find out if Eva had any love for him, and McLain presumed that the old man had as "bad a case as Eva."

"Did you know anything about her history at that time?" asked Adams.

Drake objected, and told Adams if he had any proof to bring it in and not drag it in by word of mouth. The court overruled the objection, and McLain answered that he did not know the history of the old man's bride. He added that he did think she was marrying Gleason for his money.

Mrs. Gleason had two husbands before she won Gleason, and after his death she married again and had the marriage annulled.

Former Postmaster Flint and former Judge Hervey were witnesses yesterday, and testified as to their knowledge of the sound mentality of Gleason. Hervey drew up Gleason's first will, and after he had married Eva, was sent for to draw up a second will, leaving his property to her. He advised Gleason, owing to his position on the bench, to consult a lawyer.

SIGNATURE DOUBTED.
INVOLVES COMMISSIONS.

A jury in Judge Hutton's court is wrestling with the intricacies of a case which revolves around the purported genuineness of the signature of a real estate broker in the sale of a ranch in La Crescenta.

Edwin H. Kennard has brought suit against J. F. Holbrook, claiming $1425 as his commission for selling a ranch to Mrs. Kate T. OeMara a year ago. He offers in evidence that he was an agent for Holbrook, a document bearing Holbrook's signature and certifying that the latter had paid only $75 for the sale of his La Crescenta ranch. It was stipulated that the balance is to be paid when the full purchase for the ranch shall be paid.

Holbrook stated that he did not see this document until it formed a part of an amended complaint in Judge Hutton's court. He admitted having negotiated with Kennard but declares the latter told him his profits would come when the land should be subdivided for Mrs. O'Meara.

FIND JAP GUILTY.
RECOMMEND LIFE SENTENCE.

Frank Minematsu, a Japanese who shot and killed Francis Beggs, a moving picture manager, October 27, was convicted of murder in the first degree with recommendation of life imprisonment, by a jury in Judge Willis's court yesterday.

For the first time during the three days' trial Minematsu betrayed emotion when the jury filed in and pronounced the verdict. His eyes flickered, and then he scanned each juryman as one looking for an indication that it was not so.

Minematsu, apparently impassive, has been keenly observant of all that went on. He masks his intelligence by an impenetrable taciturnity.

Efforts were made by the defense to prove Minematsu was insane when he committed the deed. Witnesses testified that he had been drinking and was wildly excited. Intoxication, Judge Willis held, is no excuse for a crime.

Deputy District Attorney Hammond put it up to the jury whether a man who had done this brutal deed should be allowed to go free. The jury deliberated seven minutes.

Among the exhibits offered by the defense in corroboration of Minematsu's unbalanced mental state was a letter the Japanese had written in red ink to Miss Alice Harwood, a former teacher. It was dated October 22 of last year and read in part:

"I did have no chance to express to you my gratitude and the end of the world. Though I dwelled in a silent corner of the universe, whole world will recognize continental. Also heavenly people understand supreme signification. You are very kind leader for our nation and all the world. Nowhere could find so faithful woman like you on the earth. You are blessed mother which had a glorious crown of twelve stars upon head. I am a son which had entered to the West from eastern blowing trumpet for perfect triumph."

PROVERB COMES TRUE.
SLOW WATCH COSTS FINE.

Because William Mead, president of the Northwestern Long Distance Telephone Company, had confidence in his wife's watch, which he carried while his own was being repaired and by reason thereof lingered in the corridor of Judge Monroe's court, believing he was ahead of time instead of ten minutes late, he was fined $10 for contempt of court yesterday.

Mead is defendant in a suit brought by Charles E. Summer, who seeks to recover a $5000 judgment for attorneys's fees in an action to recover on bonds. He was ordered to appear at 9 o'clock as a judgment debtor and at 9:10 Judge Monroe ordered an attachment for him to be brought in.

SCENE IN COURTROOM.
WOMAN FALLS IN FAINT.

Conjuring in her mind's eye the prison doors yawning for her son, Edward, Mrs. Frank Gourdin fainted in the Juvenile Court yesterday while Judge Wilbur was examining the boy.

Bailiff Strehm, as the first aid to the injured, assisted to carry Mrs. Gourdin into the judge's chambers, where she was restored by Mrs. Byram, assistant probation officer.

The lad was charged with a misdemeanor, and believing that he would be taken away from her, Mrs. Gourdin, terribly agitated, keeled over in a dramatic fashion, creating a commotion in the courtroom.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.
BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

DAMAGE SUIT. Buel Bagwell, a minor, has brought suit against the Pacific Electric for $10,000 damages for injuries received October 6, when a Venice car struck the wagon in which he was driving. The lad was sitting on a bed in the wagon, which was driven by his father.

IN WRONG SHOP. Attorney Sterry wasted considerable eloquence

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Mayor Gets Busy.

CITY APPOINTMENTS ABOUT ALL SETTLED.

MAYOR ALEXANDER took the appointment problem by the horns yesterday afternoon and when he was through all was settled except three places. He announced in the afternoon that he would reappoint City Clerk Handley, City Treasurer Hance, City Tax Collector Taggart, Health Commissioner Powers and Chief Sebastian of the Police Department and Chief Eley of the Fire Department. This settles all aspirants for those places who were not incumbents.

He also named George H. Dunlop, former Mayor of Hollywood, and H. O. Wheeler, Jr., an attorney, members of the Municipal Newspaper Commission and announced further that no woman will be on this commission. The last decision was reached after Mrs. D. C. McCan and Mrs. George Barry, of the Women's Progressive League, called on him and explained that they would not make any recommendation in the name of the league for a place on this commission. They explained that the project had been initiated by men and that it had no special interest for women such as the Library Board or the Housing Commission has. For that reason they did not feel like making a purely political recommendation.

Thus surprised by his women allies of the campaign, the Mayor dropped his quest for a woman for the newspaper commission and asked suggestions for a third male member. The names of Dunlop and Wheeler will go to the Council next Tuesday.

Dunlop is the "father" of the municipal newspaper, having formed the little organization that financed the putting of it on the ballot through initiative petition. Dunlop's scheme had the indorsement of the Good Government organization and the condemnation of the Municipal League, but it got through the election. Dunlop came to Los Angeles from Indianapolis twenty years ago. Wheeler has lived in Los Angeles about four years, having come from Vermont, where he was graduated from the State University, later taking a course in the New York Law School. He has not been identified with politics here and the appointment is said to have come to him through Dunlop.

The confirmation of these two members by the Council must be by ordinance of the Council, this being an innovation peculiar to the municipal ordinance and no other. In his fidelity to "direct legislation," Dunlop had this feature put in the measure and makes it subject to the referendum. So, if there is any opposition in the city to the appointment and confirmation of Dunlop and Wheeler, there can be a referendum election to show how effective it is. None is expected, however. It is the wish of the Mayor to have the commission go to work at once and start the weekly journal as soon as possible. The first duty will be to choose a manager. There are many applicants, but George Baker Anderson, secretary of the Good Government organization, is regarded as the leading one. It is not the plan to establish a print shop, but to make a beginning through a contract.

The Mayor may have the third member ready for the Council when he sends in the names of Dunlop and Wheeler.

The Mayor has yet to settle the appointment of a member of the Harbor Commission, the Police Commission and a successor to City Prosecutor Eddie, if the Mayor insists on a change. New advocates of a harbor commissioner visited the Mayor yesterday. They were Postmaster Gannaway, D. S. Woods, F. S. Carey and E. Opp of Wilmington, who came representing the Chamber of Commerce of that district, asking that no harbor aspirant be named. The visit was especially directed against the candidacy of A. O. Maloy of San Pedro, for whose appointment a strong pull has been made. The Wilmingtonites fear that an appointment from the harbor district would introduce sectionalism and narrowness in the harbor management. It is understood they told the Mayor they would be well pleased if he placed either Oscar C. Mueller or F. W. Braun on the commission, to succeed M. H. Newmark, who resigned.

The impression about the City Hall yesterday was that the candidacy of Maloy had reached its limit and that the probability of his appointment is lessening.

Refuses to Plead.

Susana Cuba, who was arrested Thursday night by Inspector Borden of the State Board of Pharmacy, charged with conducting an opium joint at No. 608 Turner street, refused to plead when arraigned yesterday before Justice Williams in the University Police Court. A plea of not guilty was entered by the justice, and the woman's examination was set for the 22nd inst. In default of $500 bail she went to jail.

Photo by Parker. George H. Dunlop. H. O. Wheeler Jr. Photo by Judell.

Theirs a Unique Job.

Two members of the Municipal Newspaper Commission, appointed by the Mayor yesterday. Dunlop fathered the project.

Gifts For Men That You Can Give With Confidence

Random Items from R. J. Busch's Big Store for Men—Broadway at Second St.

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IRISH POPLINS; new colorings in pin and wrinkle proof material. French folds and flowing ends; to sell at **$1.00**

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SUSPENDERS—In holiday boxes, plain solid colors and stripes; they sell for 50c, 75c and $1.00.

HANDKERCHIEFS — Fine linen, hemstitched, some with ⅛-inch hem, others up to ½-inch; to sell at 25c, 35c and up to $1.00.

GARTERS — In fancy gift boxes, all colors and styles; cotton, 25c; silk, 50c.

ARM BANDS — Special holiday boxes, an inexpensive gift, much cared for; some at 25c; others, 35c, 40c and 50c.

Combination Sets

NEGLIGEE SHIRT — With tie and soft collar to match, in tan or white; holly boxes, $1.50.

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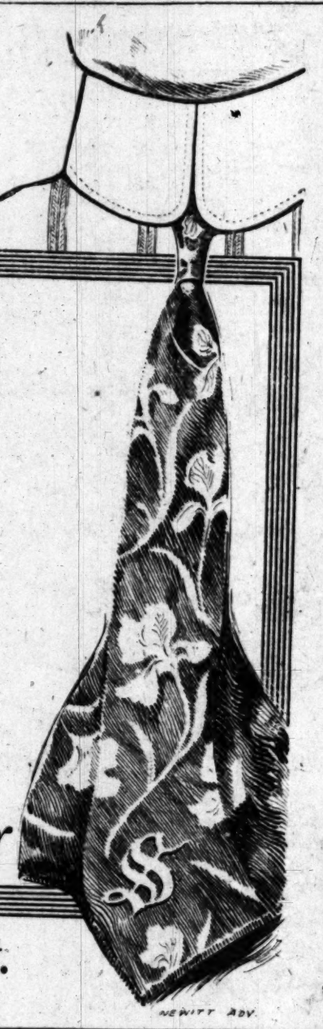

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HER CONSCIENCE ACTS TOO LATE.

CANDY FAILS TO SWEETEN BITTER LEGAL PILL.

Young Woman's Treat to Clerks Does Not Impress Officers Who Detain Her for Shoplifting Oriental Pendant—Conduct Hilarious When Jail Is Mentioned.

Caught in the act of shoplifting an oriental pendant in a downtown department store, a pretty girl giving the name of Bridget Mallory endeavored to relieve her conscience by treating the woman clerks with candy which she said someone had given her. But, though the clerks enjoyed the sweetmeats, they could not prevent officers from taking her to police headquarters.

The trinket, the girl afterward admitted, had such a fascination for her that it fairly burned her hand when she picked it up. She said her real name is Louisa Mogus, but she prefers to be known as Bridget Mallory. When told she could be sent to jail for taking the pendant, the girl laughed with apparent glee, exclaiming:

"Oh, goodie; that will give me a theme for a book I am going to write. You know I am going to write, don't you?"

The girl told the police substantially the following story, little of which is given much credence:

"I used to live in New York City with my mother. Then she told me she was going to Seattle and placed a $5 bill on the dresser. I soon used that up for rent and food.

"One day, while walking through the store, I saw and admired that oriental pendant. The more I looked at it, the more I wanted it. It seemed to fairly hypnotize me. I could not keep away from it. I visited it day after day. I used to stroke it as a child would one of its pets. Every time I touched it with my fingers it seemed to burn my very flesh.

"I had no money to buy the thing, so I just decided to take it. They caught me and brought me down here to the station."

The girl absolutely refuses to tell where she lives. Neither will she explain why she prefers the name of Bridget Mallory to Louisa Mogus. She is being held at headquarters pending an investigation.

LETTERS TO "THE TIMES."

Water Famine.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 5.—[To the Editor of The Times:] La Mesa Springs, ten miles from San Diego, is facing a water famine. Its water supply will be exhausted in two or three weeks. It is supplied by the Cujomeco Water Company, formerly the San Diego Flume Company. The orange and lemon ranches in the vicinity have been on reduced supply since September and are now showing the effects of lack of water. Oranges and lemons dropping, tops of trees are withered and everything indicating disaster. Lemon Grove, Grossmont, Spring Valley, El Cajon, Lakeside are supplied by the same water company. The company has two reservoirs—Cujomeco Lake and La Mesa reservoir. The former is completely dry and the other will be in a few weeks.

Gov. Johnson's attention was called to the matter and an investigation was suggested. At the close of last October the attention of Atty.-Gen. Webb was also directed to the state of affairs. Parties interested are now waiting to see what hope there is in the Railroad Utilities Commission. It is the same old story, selling water rights beyond their contracted obligations and capicity.

H. A. MARSHALL.

Union Drivel.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 5.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Union leaders throughout the length and breadth of the land—from Gompers to the "Appeal to Treason" are shouting themselves hoarse in an effort to make it appear that they do not stand for or favor "violence in any form, but only for the uplift of humanity" (by the dynamite route, I suppose.)

If such is the case, then how about the riots and bloodshed that have prevailed for more than twenty-five years throughout the United States. The street car strikes in St. Louis, Philadelphia, Columbus and San Francisco, where dynamite, riot and bloodshed was a daily occurrence?

At Wardner, Idaho, when the Western Federation of Miners met in their hall, armed themselves, went out and captured a freight train and proceeded to blow up the Bunker Hill and Sullivan Mill, and this the climax of a long reign of terror by these same lawbreakers?

Then we have the Colorado affair where labor unions ran riot till no one was safe in the sections of trouble if he wasn't a union man; and the later murder of fourteen men on a depot platform by dynamite.

Then there was the A.R.U. strike, and the many strikes in Chicago, where the murder of non-union men and others was a very common occurrence.

And did any one ever hear of a labor union leader aiding in the prosecution of a union man arrested for any act of violence? Never. Is there a case on record when a union man was ever charged with assault or murder of a free workman by his union? Never.

One man, Carcaran, who should have been hung, was sentenced to sixteen years in prison for his crimes in the Coeur d'Alenes, and was liberated at the end of two years through union labor influence.

When old man Mars, a plasterer, was murdered in San Francisco by union thugs, for working during a strike, did the unions assist in the prosecution of his murderers? Not on your lives. One man got a year for that dastardly crime. And then, right here at home don't the unions meet in their council room and appoint pickets to go out and deliberately break the law, much as they did in Chicago and elsewhere where they hired thugs to assault and kill men for a stipulated sum?

All this talk about being opposed to violence don't look good in the face of the records of lawless unionism. Even Gompers, the tin god of unionism, deliberately violated the law and was given a jail sentence. Debs served one term and preaches nothing but violence, year in and year out, as does the Socialist rag, "Appeal to Treason."

The evidence proclaimed against the McNamaras when first arrested was of such a convincing character that no one with the brains of a gnat could believe else but that they were guilty; but it was hoped that the use of money would clear them as it did Moyer, Heywood and Pettibone. And it was actually necessary to clear them in order to clear the skirts of organized labor.

No one knew better than Gompers that these men were guilty, and no one knew better than he that these men would get a fair trial in Los Angeles, and his ravings about their being railroaded to the gallows was through his knowledge of the black eye it would give organized labor if they were convicted.

Was it money from non-union or free, law-abiding men who furnished the $4000 or more to bribe the McNamara jury? No!

Crack these nuts, Mr. Labor Union Man, and tell us why, in addition, that a union man is not allowed to join the militia, a body of men organized solely to uphold the law, if you are really opposed to violence. This crying out for the blood of the McNamaras doesn't sound good. Show by your acts, not words, that you are law-abiding and opposed to violence, if you want to place yourselves right among men.

EUGENE BASSETT.

A Des Moines man had an attack of muscular rheumatism in his shoulder. A friend advised him to go to Hot Springs. That meant an expense of $150 or more. He sought for a quicker and cheaper way to cure it and found it in Chamberlain's Liniment. Three days after the first application of this liniment he was well. For sale by all dealers.—[Adv.

The White Father.

PALEFACE AIDS RED BRETHREN.

NEW IRRIGATION SCHEME FOR INDIANS LAUNCHED.

Government to Spend Fifty Thousand Dollars on Reclamation Project for Benefit of Arizona Reservations—Land Enough for Five Hundred Families.

Another national irrigation project for the benefit of the Indian wards on the various reservations in the Southwest will be launched at Parker, Ariz., within a few days.

The estimated cost of the improvement, $50,000, has been appropriated by Congress, and the local Indian Service officials will superintend the erection of an immense pumping plant. J. J. Granville, chief engineer, and F. R. Schenck, superintendent of irrigation, will have the work in charge. They leave for Parker to begin operations today.

It is estimated that the water, which will come from the Colorado River, will irrigate not less than 8000 acres of land now mostly given over to the propagation of rattlesnakes and gila monsters. It will furnish about 500 Indian families with irrigated land.

The experiments of the government along the line of irrigation, have so far shown that the Indians, if furnished ambition in the shape of land that yields readily to cultivation, are eager to devote themselves to agriculture. If opportunity is presented they make almost as good farmers as their white brothers. The average Indian is very proud of his "ranch" even if it amounts to nothing more than a garden patch. It is believed that the construction of the big plant will give an impetus to the development of a section heretofore worthless from any point of view.

STUDENTS PLAY MACBETH.

Los Angeles High School Pupils Give Clever Rendition of Great Tragedy of Ancient Scotland.

Scenes from Scotland, bleeding from internecine strife, were brought vividly before the eyes of a large audience in the auditorium of the Los Angeles High School yesterday afternoon when the dramatic class of that institution presented the tragedy of "Macbeth." The play was produced under the direction of Miss Leno Ellen Cooper and the work of the students was a credit to their instructor as well as to themselves.

George Dyekman played the leading role and Henry Clark was an able Duncan. Malcolm and Donalbain were portrayed by Edwin Tetzlaff and Donald Wood. Charles Collom as Banquo clearly demonstrated to Macbeth that he could come back. Eugene Warren as Macduff, Rensher Lawrence as Lennox, Russel Thomas as Ross, Quincy Cass as Menteith and Alfred McGuire as Angus carried honors. The exacting part of Lady Macbeth fell to Miss Mildred Tousley, who gave a creditable rendition of the difficult role. The scenery was well set and the music, furnished by the Los Angeles High School orchestra, under the direction of Miss Virna C. Blythe, was appropriate and well rendered.

The performance was repeated in the evening. The proceed derived from the two productions will be used for the benefit of the school.

DID RAILWAY ERASE IT?

What a large railway company wanted with five packages of rubber and other things, Sam Bernstein does not explain, but in a suit filed against the Southern Pacific Company in the Justice Court yesterday, he solemnly declares that the corporation converted the rubber to its own use. He asks $134.60 damages. He says he shipped the goods from Wilmington to himself in Los Angeles and that on the road the company did the converting.

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OUT OF COURT.

A father and son have been fighting each other in a local court for four years. Probably the suit will end when the lawyers get most of the money over which the principals are quarreling. Litigation is both so slow and so expensive that the good lawyer in this generation does everything possible to settle his cases out of court.

ON THE JOB.

The women at Santa Ana took an active part in the school bonds election Thursday with the result that the bonds carried by more than three to one in the face of what had been regarded as a serious opposition. Work began Thursday on several new school buildings at Santa Monica, the money for this construction having been voted since the women were enfranchised.

SUPERFICIAL BRANDY.

A Senate Committee reports that the United States consumes much superficial brandy. The committee might also have described it as superfluous brandy. It is a disgrace to the nation, however, that so large a revenue is raised annually from liquors which the government knows very well to be impure. Much of the crime laid at the doors of whisky belongs to the vile concoctions sold as whisky. Liquor needs regulation, but so does the government's way of handling it.

THE BIG FELLOW.

It is always easy enough to get to a major-general on business of importance, but look out for the second lieutenants! On Thursday a tramp was kicked from a moving freight train at Burbank and went limping down the road. A few minutes later William Sproule, president of the Southern Pacific, passed that way in an automobile and stopped his machine to give the lame rascal a lift. The hobo, who had been ejected from a box car, rode into the city with the president of the road.

THE OTHER THINGS.

A 2-year-old baby was killed at Santa Barbara by the weight of an automobile frame which the child pulled from a scaffold. One of the tragedies of life is that so often we get what we want, to find that it is what we should not have. It is dangerous to want things because we so often get them. What is worse, we get much else that we do not want, but which is associated with the object of our desire. We are all children reaching to a high shelf for a dipper of water and spilling the bucketful upon our unprepared heads.

DEATH OF VETERAN CALIFORNIAN.

Dispatches from Wawona announce the death of Edward F. Washburn at 76, nearly sixty years of which had been spent in Merced and Mariposa counties—the last thirty-eight at Wawona, one of the old gateways to the Yosemite and Mariposa Big Tree Grove. There were four brothers in all—John, Henry, Julius and Edward—all natives of Vermont—all of whom have passed over the "Range" but John; and it is safe to say that these Washburns were as well and as favorably known as any of the first-comers to the Golden State. Henry, who had charge of the stage line running into the Yosemite from points on the Southern Pacific Railroad via the Mariposa grove, died in San Francisco in 1902, and Julius in Vermont in 1906. Edward had executive management of the Wawona Hotel, and John, the surviving brother, control of the transfer of passengers from Wawona and the Big Trees. More than half a million people have been looked after by this galaxy of pioneers; and the deceased, in particular, was embosomed in the hearts of all Californians who have enjoyed his charming personality and the cheerful attention accorded by this true Sierra nobleman. Edward was a bachelor, extremely fine looking, and a favorite with all women guests and tourists. The flags are at half-mast all over Mariposa and Madera counties in honor of the departed, who had an avalanche of friends and no one to do him a wrong.

MR. TAFT'S GREATEST POLICY.

Our self-contained and reflective President is not of that character which makes him a popular idol of any moment. But his thoroughgoing statesmanship and carefully-considered policies are year by year winning for him a warmer place in the hearts of his fellow countrymen, who are mostly peace-loving and right-loving.

Perhaps the President has done nothing which has gained the good opinion of more people than his promotion of the peace treaties which he has proposed between our own country and Great Britain and France. The whole soul of humanity goes forth in a great aspiration for continued peace. There is scarcely a government on earth that dare proclaim a policy of aggressive warfare as its underlying sentiment. We have always led in peace movements, and our people are profoundly interested in keeping our country in the foremost ranks of all the countries of the world in working for some basis on which permanent universal peace may rest.

Daily the American people are becoming more conscious of the greatness of this work so earnestly pressed by Mr. Taft. There are attempts made to pick flaws in the treaties and to create a sentiment against their ratification. These seeds of discord fell in unfertile soil in the American heart. The critics have not made for themselves any increased popularity among the American people. These treaties have added greatly to the President's popularity.

It is Christmas time, the season when all hearts are turned to peace, and we recognize in Mr. Taft a co-worker with the Prince of Peace

A PROTEST AGAINST BIGOTRY.

When freedom was cradled in America one of the fundamental and most important elements was religious liberty. For the first time in the history of mankind it came to be recognized that religion was no concern of the government as one of its functions. The relations of the human being with his God were declared to be his own concern and one in which the government should have no interference. Religion has flourished in the United States under this great and just principle, and the world has all taken cognizance of this fact and modeled governmental dealings with religion upon our basis.

But the Russian government and the Russian people have failed most lamentably to keep in line with humanity in its advance to higher ideals and a level of more even-minded justice. Bigotry rules in Russia largely in the place of religion, and superstition too much takes the place of truth. The government is largely responsible and naturally exercises a reflex action upon the people. All through the Russian empire persons of the Jewish race are held in as great abomination as ever was the case in the darkest of all dark ages since Christianity was first preached, and the apostles taught that there were neither "bond nor free, Greek nor Jew, but that all men were one in the Fatherhood of God." This perhaps is none of our business; we should not interfere with the dealings of the Russian government with its own people. But our hearts have bled at the gross atrocities the outgrowth of superstition and bigotry practised upon the members of the Hebrew race in Russia, and it was proper for us to bring to bear upon the government of that country all the moral influence we could apply in a diplomatic manner.

When it comes to the dealings of the Russian government with persons who are citizens of the United States we make no inquiry as to the religion of our citizens or as to their racial origin. The flag covers all, and its aegis is supposed to be an ample protection to all alike. Therefore, when Russia, in the darkness of its superstitious bigotry, undertakes to discriminate unjustly against any person or class of persons entitled to our protection we shall not stop to inquire about the faith they profess, the altar at which they worship or the race from which they spring. There is in our mind just one consideration: They are citizens of the republic and will be protected in all their rights wherever they go in the whole wide world.

We are not suggesting a rupture of the peace with the people of Russia. That will not be necessary. The present difficulty furnishes us with a good opportunity of applying diplomacy instead of crying, "Let loose the dogs of war!" We have a treaty with the Russian government made in 1832. It grants privileges to the peoples of both countries in dealing each with the other. The treatment of American citizens by the Russian government because they are of the Hebrew race (a distinction which we propose to ignore) is held by our states men to be a positive violation of the terms of that treaty. We have believed that diplomatic representations would prevail with the government of the Czar, and that a way would be found to treat our people justly in accordance with the terms of that treaty. Let us hope still that such may be the case.

But, if not, what then? No contract can bind one of the high contracting parties when the terms of such contract are violated by the other. Therefore, national self-respect, a sense of national honor and, higher still, a conception of even-handed justice and our obligation to our own citizens to see that they enjoy just treatment everywhere at the hands of all people and of all governments cries aloud that the treaty shall be abrogated. That is what should be done, and that is what will be done should the government of the Czar of Russia prove obstinate.

It grieves us to think (but thinking it we must say it) that the pretensions of the Russian government are mere subterfuges. The allegation is that American Jews are excluded from Russia because these Jews are inclined to be lawbreakers to the extent of being anarchists. We know in America that this is not so. No person has ever taught school in this country without learning that Jewish children are more docile than the average. There are fewer persons of this race in prisons, poorhouses and also in any sinks of degradation, in proportion to their numbers, than of any other race among us. They are thrifty, industrious, law-abiding and in every respect good citizens, as high as the highest average.

If some Jews have a spite against the Russian government and the people of that country it is a direct outgrowth of unjust treatment received at the hands of that government and of that people. It may be that a few Jews return from America to Russia to avenge the wrongs suffered by their race. If there are any such they are as easily dealt with as international malefactors of any other class. There are Russian anarchists who come to America who are not Jews, and we have to take care of ourselves against them as best we can. There are anarchists that enter Russia from various parts of the world in whose veins there is no Jewish blood.

As a matter of fact, the hostility of the Russian government to the Jewish people is a weak and improper concession to superstitious bigotry. The purpose of a good government should be to cure this improper feeling rather than to encourage it.

Therefore, we feel sure that our government will see that one of two things takes place promptly. Either let Russia recede from her untenable position, or let the treaty be abrogated.

WOODROW WILSON TURNED DOWN.

Four years ago Andrew Carnegie gave $10,000,000 of 5 per cent. steel trust bonds to the trustees of the Carnegie Foundation, "the revenue from which is to provide retiring pensions for the teachers of universities, colleges and technical schools in our country, Canada and Newfoundland, under such conditions as you may adopt from time to time."

The trustees at their first meeting agreed that "any person 65 years of age who has had not less than fifteen years of service as a professor and who is at the time a professor in an accepted institution should be entitled to receive for an active pay of $1600 or less an allowance of $1000, providing that no allowance exceeded 90 per cent. of the active pay."

A law professor in a middle western institution had had thirty-nine years of service and for the last twelve years he had been totally blind. His age was 73 and his pension was fixed at $1400. The president emeritus of an up-State New York college retired at the age of 87 and received $1200. A man who had been professor of natural philosophy for more than fifty years in a southern college was pensioned at the age of 78.

There were, a year ago, 318 pensioners drawing $466,000 of the $500,000 income of the period. At that time Woodrow Wilson was President of Princeton College, receiving a salary of $8000 per annum. He was nominated for Governor of New Jersey—an office that paid $10,000 yearly—and, looming on the horizon, was the Presidency at $50,000 per annum.

Woodrow, being mindful of Shylock's maxim that "thrift is blessed," did not propose to let go of the bird in the hand altogether for the hovering ornithological specimens in the bush. Before resigning the presidency of Princeton College he wrote to the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching and asked to be pensioned. Gov. Wilson was but 53 years of age, but at the time of his application the trustees had the power—which was afterwards removed—of acting on the cases of men less than 65.

The trustees responded to the petition of his pending excellency that the operations of the trust were not automatic; that the trustees were vested with discretion; that this was the first request from a man under 65 years of age that they had received in the four years of the foundation's life, and that, since Woodrow had been drawing down $8000 a year for twenty-five years and had not been addicted to peroxide blondes, poker chips or Pommery Sec, he had doubtless been able to save enough to keep the wolf from the door for the balance of his life, even if the voters of New Jersey should fail to place and keep him in the Governor's chair, or if Champ Clark, or Judson Harmon, or Billy Bryan should make him look like 30 cents in the National Democratic Convention.

And Woodrow's petition was denied. He receives no pension as an ex-pedagogue, and when his term as Governor shall expire he will have an opportunity to reflect whether it was wise to let go of $8000 per annum certain for life for the glittering and uncompensating bauble of one term of the executive office in New Jersey.

"TO ONE OF THESE LITTLE ONES."

Good people of Los Angeles, Providence has been very good to us all in the year that is now drawing to its close. When it is ended it will rank as one of the most abundantly prosperous years we have ever passed through. Heaven has blessed us "in basket and store."

But, in spite of all this, the prophecy holds good which says, "The poor ye have with you always." To offset this we have numerous well-organized and admirably-managed associations for the relief of the poor. These charitable combinations have raised this year as their slogan that no child in this city shall go neglected through the approaching holidays. Something is to be done to make a little less miserable every needy person in the community and a little less sad every wretched heart.

Let every one of us whose business has been prospered during the year, and that means every person in the city who has been able to obtain even a good comfortable living, associate ourselves actively with these charitable organizations and do our share to see that no home shall be cold, no fireside cheerless, no unclad little trembling limbs and no little stomachs suffering from an aching void.

It is all very easy to accomplish. You can write a check in five minutes and mail it to the Associated Charities for 2 cents. Go and do it now. If you have not a bank account you will find along the streets persons collecting for the poor. Do not pass the first one you meet, but drop in your coin. If you have only a nickel, give it. If you can afford it, make the 5 cents $5.

When Congressman Stephens returns from his Panama trip we shall know whether the locks in the canal have been built to keep all of the water from one ocean running out into the other

A bit too early to open recruiting stations for the war with Russia.

What Became of It?

THE SOCIALIST DEFEAT.

The utter rout of the Socialists in the Los Angeles election was to be expected in view of the sensational climax of the dynamite case. No candidate, however good he might be, could hope to avoid popular disapproval in the face of the fact that he had been attorney for the McNamaras. Harriman's case was hopeless from the moment the first of the dynamiters arose in court and said "Guilty."—[Cleveland Plain Dealer.

As a by-product of the McNamaras' confession comes the salvation of the rich city of Los Angeles from Socialist control. Such a by-product is welcome, not merely to the taxpayers of that town, but to the taxpaying element in every municipality in the United States that is similarly menaced. It is an encouragment to the forces of sane and intelligent conservatism everywhere.—[Brooklyn Eagle.

The effectiveness of women voters has been very strikingly demonstrated in this election, and the Los Angeles outcome will be taken as one of the most heartening occurrences for the cause by its adherents throughout the United States. The crushing of the Socialists marks the turn of the tide against the party that for some time has been counting victories in various parts of the United States.—[Baltimore American.

The Socialists lost out in the Los Angeles election. As a matter of fact most of the municipal victories won by the Socialists of late have occurred in towns that not very much has been heard of heretofore.—[Topeka State Journal.

The voting in Los Angeles on Tuesday resulted in a "Good Government" victory. The enfranchised women were not prevailed upon to trail after the socialistic leadership. The sisters are all right, God bless 'em!—[Philadelphia Record.

A Socialist offered himself as a candidate for Mayor of Los Angeles, frankly avowing his socialism and declaring his purpose to give a socialistic administration. He polled nearly 20,000 votes in the elimination primary and approximately 40,000 votes in the election Tuesday. He was defeated by a citizens (Good Government) candidate, who received about twice the number of votes given the Socialist. Los Angeles thus repudiates socialism through the voice of two out of three of its citizens.—[Portland Oregonian.

Even without the sensational aid lent to the cause of Good Government by the developments of the dynamiting cases, it is clear that Los Angeles would have definitely and decisively repudiated socialism at the election of December 5. That city obviously took warning of its peril from the result of the primary, and made up its mind, even before the McNamaras gave up, that it wanted none of the "red flag" kind of government.

Socialism, as Los Angeles saw it after the primary, was not, in truth, socialism at all, but a thinly-disguised anarchism. It was full of the McNamara spirit, full of dynamite and loud with cries for blood and rapine. The primary made Los Angeles remember some of the banners displayed there in the Labor Day parade, some of the frenzied speeches of the street corners, some of the malignant lawlessness of the I.W.W.

It is a good thing and good news for all the country that anarchism has had such a setback at Los Angeles. Labor—the "direct action" part of labor—will have to go about its Southern California campaign in a different way and spirit. The mask of socialism will not serve another time. Dynamite will not help any more. There is no room in the southern metropolis for any Harrimans or their ilk. The red flag will probably be dealt with hereafter by means of a call for the police. The I.W.W. is served with notice to move on to some other town.—[San Francisco News Letter.

So Many Laws.

[Kansas City Journal:] A Kansas merchant who had just paid a fine because his vegetable display box was not six inches higher than the sidewalk ventured the assertion that a man can't go from morning till night without breaking some Kansas law, no matter how careful he is. A hotel man thought he could; and a wager was made, and the next day was set for the test.

"I'll win that bet, all right," said the hotel man. "I'll stay in bed all day tomorrow."

And he did, until just before dark, when an inspector came along and arrested him for not having a nine-foot sheet on his bed.—[Kansas City Journal.

PERSIA AND YOUNG SHUSTER.

BY W. H. KNIGHT.

The eyes of the world are now focused on the stand taken by a sturdy young American at the Persian capital. That ancient monarchy is the center of an international conflict in which Great Britain, Russia and the United States are directly interested, Turkey is deeply involved, and Germany and the other powers are eagerly watching. Greed for the acquisition of Asiatic territory has been the underlying motive, but financial competition is the pretext for precipitating trouble.

Great Britain wants an unobstructed land route from Egypt to India and must cross Southern Persia to secure it. To that end she proposed to finance and build a railroad and hold the Persian government responsible for the bonds. As soon as that project was mooted Germany and the United States bid for an opportunity to place the bonds and sent out engineers to locate a route.

On the north the Russian possessions surround the great internal Caspian Sea except a few hundred miles along its southern border. That country has looked with longing eyes upon this strip of territory and more than once has sought pretexts for seizing it. Teheran, the capital, with its 220,000 inhabitants, is located in a fertile valley only seventy miles from the sea and would be a rich prize.

Persia has had a wonderful past. The Medo-Persian empire, once ambitious to be mistress of the world, was humbled and divided by Alexander. Its lofty mountains, beautiful valleys and broad plains was the home of romance, the arts, literature, religious fervor, and the mathematical sciences. The Persian philosophy partook of the mysticism of India and the advanced thought of the West. It is difficult for a modern European to enter into and understand their life and springs of action. We shall watch the outcome of the present conflict with intensest interest.

How did Shuster get into the heart of this strange Oriental people? William Morgan Shuster has had a rather remarkable career. He is only 34 years of age. He took a course in the Columbia College Law School, married his stenographer in the War Department in 1898, was in the Cuban customs service during the Spanish-American War, thence transferred to Manila and became a member of the Philippine Commission in 1906. In these capacities he acquired experience and developed qualities that fitted him to join a small group of financial experts who visited Persia in April last. He was selected by his associates to take charge of the Persian national finances under the title of Treasurer-General.

When he assumed charge of the revenues in June of this year he found banking deficits of over $500,000. On the 3rd of December he was able to report that the deficits were wiped out and there was $800,000 in the treasury. Both England and Russia have regarded his successful administration with increasing anxiety. They have united in a demand for his removal. But he has managed his affairs with such good judgment and, what is surprising in that country, eliminated all graft, that the people are more than pleased with him and resent that external interference that dictates the sacrifice of an able and just official.

Finally Russia imperiously demanded that Shuster should at least relinquish his authority over the northern provinces, claimed to be under the Russian sphere of influence. Failing to meet with a satisfactory response, Russia has massed a large force and crossed the northern frontier, menacing the capital, but has halted her army awaiting the further action of the Persian government.

In view of the gravity of the situation and the momentous possibilities involved, Shuster has asked himself what he ought to do, and he has answered the question in characteristic fashion. He says that the Russian bureaucracy is incensed by the solidarity and energy of the constitutional government. Russian officials have been so long accustomed to intimidating Persian officials of all ranks that they are unable to comprehend anyone desiring an impartial execution of the laws. The people are highly pleased with him, urge him to remain at his post and not leave the finances to lapse again into their former chaotic condition.

On the 3rd of December placards were posted on the walls in Teheran, proclaiming "Death or Independence," and 10,000 persons marched the streets under banners so inscribed. On the 4th the National Assembly telegraphed an appeal to the American Congress for aid, and also to other national parliaments. Even Turkey has joined in an appeal to the powers that the independence of Persia be respected.

And now England is fretting over the situation and blaming their Secretary for Foreign Affairs, Sir Edward Grey, for permitting the Persians to get into this embroglio. But Sir Edward is cool-headed and says, in effect, though not in these plain words, If Russia and Persia engage in a conflict, and Russia acquires such an advantage that she can dictate terms and extend a protectorate over the northern provinces, England can secure such a modification of the terms as will enable her to extend undisputed away over the southern provinces and, between them, as they hope, Persia will be at their mercy.

The recent awakenings of the younger generation in Turkey, in Persia and in China are but simultaneous expressions of the newly-educated, thinking masses of these countries. They are becoming imbued with the spirit of western civilization. They are aware that the great powers are hoping for their disintegration in order to divide up and parcel out their territory. But perhaps, after all, it is not so much aggrandisement of territory that these nations are lusting for as the fear that, if they are not vigilant, some other power will gain a foothold to their disadvantage.

UNCLE WALT.

The Poet Philosopher.

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WALT MASON.

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Stockholders in the Standard Oil Company now get thirty-five dividends instead of one. Great is "reorganization."

Pen Points By

Christmas thoughts—giving's fine.

Premier Tuss and Sir ... appear to be sporting ...

The raids of the ... tinue. What will it be ...

The football season is now ... will the sporting editor ...

Seems to be the year ... outlaws. Forty-two ... American scouts.

It is expected that ... minutes Col. Hoover will ... remedy for the trusts.

A noiseless typewriter ... ered, but it is a dollar ... not one of the female ...

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To an outsider it looks as if Gates worked harder in the ... than in the vineyard of the ...

Luther Burbank, the ... is experimenting on a ... Is he "wiz" enough to ...

Why not retire the ... peror on a pension, ... to buy go-carts, candy and ...

Seven feet of water ... single week in the ... that you will have to go ...

President Madero may go back to the Yaqui Indians ... peace in Mexico. And so may ...

The Democratic national ... penters are already going ... with alarm" department to ... order.

Between the paper ... er treatment we prefer ... for Christmas done in ... stove oven.

It is probable that the ... val officers the uprisings of ... will be followed with another ... use of corsets.

Andrew Carnegie has ... model of the Diplodocus ... ican museum. Send a ... dear ones at home.

Los Angeles is first in ... material growth and first in ... Russia's refusal to honor ... to American citizens.

The decision of the Interstate Commission on the lemon ... line of justice to the grower ... The right has prevailed.

A large supply of ... have been uncovered in Egypt. ... not understand that there ... by O. Henry among them.

Director Durand declares ... time the turkey will be ... doubtless made this ... the last Thanksgiving ...

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A woman in Australia ... to the entire State of ... dock goes with it we are ... ing the woman to take ...

The investigating board ... termined that the Maine ... from the outside and ... submitted to Congress.

Don't see the girl of ... who used to wear copper ... of her shoes whose ... the approach of the ... by the Enemy."

The sale of the ... that, with the passing of ... socialism, corporations ... put in such securities ... Los Angeles voters.

The task of the Anti-Saloon ... providing a Christmas ... otherwise cared for is a ... enterprise and the ... assisted in the task.

A South Carolina ... will come to an end in the ... hurry about it; but for the ... leno the glories of ... much on the brand of ... California.

It is believed that the ... nese who have been ... Capt. Connell's motorcycle ... chus who are desirous of ... try so that they can get into ... ing business.

THE SECRET OF THE ...

Keen is the air and ... chills
Earth to the bone, and ... dies
Slow in a west of ... tries.
The heaven is tense with ...
Aloof and silent ... the ...
Their age-long ... ...
The fruitless ... ...
But our unsated craving ...

Man's sense is ... ...
Their mighty ... ...
Not till his eager ... ...
To their unquestioning ... ...
Their broad ... ...
Their whisper ... ...
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...Morosco, accompanied by ... will leave this morning ... Salt Lake, for New York.

...Morosco will attend the pre... "The Bird of Paradise," his ... production, which will be made ... on Christmas Day, and then ... will be taken—probably ... Burke Elliott Theater, New ...

...gain in the great cast Morosco ... added are Lewis S. Stone, ...

Mazie King,

... the best-known American ... actor, who will be a feature of ... Orpheum bill next week.

... Taylor, Theodore Roberts, ... Post, Robert Harrison and ... others of note.

...Kubelik—Jan, his wife, and ... Andree—will spend Christmas ... Los Angeles, quietly resting. ... has been meeting with almost ... success on what he an... ... and what probably isn't ... well-tour of America. ... vacation group next week ... the entire Robert Hilliard com... ... is booked into the Mason ... Christmas week.

...Symphonic Orchestra. ... First Congregational Church ... opened its seventeenth sea... ... church auditorium last ... Sunday before an audience ... filled the large hall. ... which has been ... the leadership of William H. ...

STER.

Pen Points: By the S...

Christmas thought: Come on ... giving's fine.

Premier Yuan and Bob La Follette appear to be sparring for time.

The raids of the English suffragettes continue. What will it be in two years?

The football season is now over and will the sporting editor do now, now?

Seems to be the open season for outlaws. Forty-two have been killed by American scouts.

It is expected that within the next few minutes Col. Roosevelt will have a remedy for the trusts.

A noiseless typewriter has been discovered, but it is a dollar to a dime that it is not one of the female variety.

It might be in order to suggest to Pancake "recall" some of the burglars who have been terrorizing that city.

To an outsider it looks as if Boss Gates worked harder in the off season than in the vineyard of the Lord.

Luther Burbank, the Santa Rosa wizard, is experimenting on a punctureless tire. Is he "wiz" enough to perfect this?

Why not retire the little Manchu emperor on a pension. He only wants enough to buy go-carts, candy and the movies.

Seven feet of water recently fell in a single week in the Philippines. Now we know that you will have to go back to Genesis.

President Madero may give the Yaqui Indians back to the Yaqui Indians as the best way to secure peace in Mexico. And so even Brother Bryan.

The Democratic national platform builders are already getting their "keep off the grass with alarm" department in good working order.

Between the paper bag and dry cleaning treatment we prefer to have our clothes done for Christmas done in an old-fashioned stove oven.

It is probable that the order depriving naval officers the privilege of choosing their wives will be followed with another taking away the use of corsets.

Andrew Carnegie has presented a fine model of the Diplodocus to a Scottish museum. Send a Diplodocus over to dear ones at home.

Los Angeles is first in prosperity, first in material growth and first to protest against Russia's refusal to honor passports issued to American citizens.

The decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission on the lemon rate is a decided case of justice to the growers of California. The right has prevailed.

A large supply of ancient manuscripts have been uncovered in Egypt. But we do not understand that there is any hope of them by O. Henry among them.

Director Durand declares that in a short time the turkey will be extinct. Mr. Durand doubtless made this prediction just before the last Thanksgiving Day.

Improvements in the voting machine are probably needed, but it has yet to be demonstrated that mirrors and curtains are in the list of improvements.

Arnold Bennett, the English novelist, who in this country, is getting a lot of advice from provincial editors who evidently confuse him with Benedict Arnold.

With the importation of absinthe prohibited in this country after January 1 we shall not hear so much talk about how the Democrats are going to do it in 1912.

A woman in Australia claims to be related to the entire State of Kansas. If the family dock goes with it we are in favor of allowing the woman to take the State.

The investigating board has officially determined that the Maine was blown up from the outside and their report will be submitted to Congress. Well, we knew that ghost.

Don't see the girl of twenty years ago who used to wear copper cents on the soles of her shoes whose ratapian sound was the approach of the commander in chief by the Enemy."

The sale of the highway bonds means that, with the passing of the issue, socialism, corporations that have been put in such securities are endangered (Los Angeles variety).

The task of the Associated Charities in providing a Christmas for every family otherwise cared for is a worthy and patriotic enterprise and the organization entitled to assisted in the task.

A South Carolina prophet says the world will come to an end in ten years. Don't hurry about it; but for the average Angeleno the glories of Paradise would be much on the brand of sunshine in Southern California.

It is believed that the contraband Japanese who have been recently crossing the Capt. Connell's motorcycle crew are Mexicans who are desirous of entering the land of liberty so that they can get into the office-holding business.

THE SECRET OF THE HILLS.

Keen is the air and calm; the black chills
Earth to the bone, and winter reigns;
Slow in a west of smoldering purple dies
The heaven is tense still expectancy;
Aloof and silent brood the ancient hills
Their age-long taciturnity defies
The fruitless questioning of curious men
But our unsated craving never stills.

Man's sense is clouded; vainly he aspires
Their mighty hidden secret to behold;
Not till his eager spirit he can tune
To their unquestioning stillness shall he hold
Their broad tranquility his soul consoles
Their whisper soothe his restless heart
desires.

—[Pall Mall Gazette.

...AND THE STAGE.

...accompanied by ... will leave this morning for Salt Lake, for New York ... will attend the premiere of "The Bird of Paradise," his ... which will be made ... Christmas Day, and then ... to be taken—probably—... Elliott Theater, New ...

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...Theodore Roberts, ... Robert Harrison and ...

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Of last evening's programme, especially commendable was the "Poet and Peasant" overture and the "Martha" selection, although the opening number, "Police Patrol," by a local composer, E. L. Merrill, is worthy of special mention, not only for its musical worth, but also for the fine reading it was given. The "Anvil Chorus" from "Il Trovatore," with the assistance of the Y.M.C.A. Quartette, was also well done, so much so that its repetition was demanded. The closing number was the Lucia "Sextette."

Mrs. Catherine Collette Shank was the soloist of the evening and displayed her beautiful soprano voice to advantage in the difficult Mozart aria "Il Re Pastore," with orchestral accompaniment.

The next concert will be given jointly by the orchestra and choral club, Friday evening, February 16, 1912.

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(Main Floor, rear)

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Misses' $20 and $25 double-faced coats—the rough, heavy cloths in the colorings now in strongest demand—on sale today at $15. 14, 16 and 18 year sizes—many of them ideal for adult women of slight stature.

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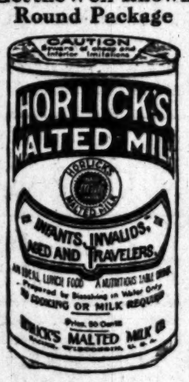

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—Just Inside Main Bdwy. Entrance—

"Odds and Ends" in Dress Goods at Half—

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—dress lengths, suit lengths, waist lengths, skirt lengths,—in brief: everything in odd pieces from 1 1-2 yards to full bolts;—

—values from 75c to $4, at one-half their regular prices,—today only.

—Rear Main Aisle, Bdwy. Annex—

Menu Today:

FOURTH Floor Cafe and Men's Grill, from today's menu:—

—Breaded Veal Cutlets, Country Gravy, 40c;—

—Baked Sugar Cured Ham, Claret Sauce, 35c;—

—Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce, 55c.

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—"Toyland," Third Floor—

An Unusual Sale—Linings at Half

—and here's still another "remnant" opportunity for Saturday shoppers—

—percalines,—sateens,—satins,—linen-canvas,—"Skinner's" satins,—haircloths, etc.;—

—in lengths from three-fourths to six yards;—

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—Upper Right Aisle, Bdwy. Annex—

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NOTABLE ENGAGEMENTS THRILL THE SMART SET.

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One of two, the news of which sent a veritable thrill through the Los Angeles Four Hundred yesterday. She is Miss Ada B. Seeley, whose engagement to Roy Bayly, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bayly is announced. The other, fraught with even greater interest, is that of Miss Elizabeth Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Hicks, to Lieut. Frank Gross, U.S.N., of Washington. Miss Hicks made her debut at the Capitol city last season and was the central figure at one of the most brilliant and exclusive balls given here this autumn.

NEWS OF the two most significant engagements among the smart set to interest the 400 hundred in some seasons leaked out yesterday to send almost simultaneous thrills among the tea tables. One is that of Miss Elizabeth Hicks and Lieut. Frank Gross, U.S.N., of Washington, D. C. The other is the betrothal of Miss Ada B. Seeley to Roy Bayly of this city. From the standpoint of social importance both are veritable triumphs for chubby Eros and his train of loves.

Miss Seeley, who is the attractive daughter of Mrs. Ada B. Seeley of No. 1515 South Figueroa street, is one of the clever young women who appeared last evening in the living pictures of the debutantes' vaudeville. The young "actresses" in this particular sketch were chosen for their exceptional beauty.

Roy Bayly, who is the beau ideal of the vaudeville, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bayly of this city, who are now enjoying a world's tour in company with Mr. and Mrs. Willits J. Hole. He is a Stanford man while his betrothed was graduated a season or so ago from Mt. Vernon Seminary, in Washington, D. C. She later traveled extensively and returned to this city where she enjoyed her first formal season last year.

Miss Hicks is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Hicks of West Adams street, and is the grand-daughter of Mrs. Emeline Childs of West Adams street. She was formally introduced to society in Washington last season while visiting at the home of her aunt. Several weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Hicks presided at a brilliant and exclusive ball for their daughter. This was given at the Alexandria and was preceded by a fashionable dinner party at the California Club, given by Dr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Bryant. Among their guests was Lieut. Gross who came south for the party.

No date has yet been set for either wedding.

Another secret that will cause a ripple in society circles is news of the approaching wedding of Henry S. Van Dyke, prominent club and society man, and Miss Katherine Moulton. This will be an event of January 20, and the little church by the sea at Miramar will be the scene. Immediately after, a large reception will be held at the Country Club.

UNDERGROUND RAILWAY MAP.

Smuggler's Chart of Territory Crossed in Bringing in Contraband Chinese Is Captured.

The deciphering of a Chinese map of the "underground railway" for smuggling coolies from the Mexican border to San Diego has thrown welcome light on the methods employed by the smugglers of contraband laborers and dope into this country. The map was captured when the Rose-street home of C. W. Lung, arrested in San Diego as a smuggler, was raided by officers from Immigration Inspector Connell's office in search of evidence against the quondam Sunday-school teacher. It was found by Officer Miller, cunningly hidden behind a large mirror.

It appears to be the work of a qualified engineer and shows all the territory from Tia Juana to San Diego, the United States and Mexican customhouses along the border, the proposed Spreckels and narrow-gauge railways, with San Diego marked as "American town," and other small settlements along the railroad.

The line of travel for the marching contrabands, leading from Tia Juana to San Diego is indicated by Chinese characters meaning "Travel along this line and you will make no mistake." Necessary detours from the trail are shown along the entire distance and local officials who have chased Chinese over every foot of that territory declare that it is a first-class map.

It is understood that copies of this map were furnished to all the guides making the hazardous trip, but this is the first time the government has been able to secure a copy of it.

DAIRYMEN MEET TODAY.

Dairymen from all parts of Southern California will meet this afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Masonic Hall to discuss plans of the United Milk Producers' Association of Southern California. This association, which resembles in many respects the Citrus Fruit Growers' Association, the Lima Bean Growers' Association, and like protective organizations, was formed at a meeting held last Monday in Burbank Hall. Its object is stated to be the furthering of the milk producers' interests south of the Tehachepi, besides aiming at better milk sanitation. The membership is limited to actual producers. At the recent meeting were 200 dairymen, principally from Los Angeles and Orange counties. Guy A. Cherry, is president, R. W. Frye, vice-president; W. S. Rosecrans, secretary; George W. Walters, M. C. Paxton, Manly Bacon, S. A. W. Carver and Mr. Oakel, directors.

WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY SYDNEY FORD.

J. D. Radford, in his address before the Friday Morning Club yesterday, proposed the building of a splendid memorial fountain by popular subscription in Exposition Park, to be unveiled in connection with the great demonstration that is planned to celebrate the completion of the Owens River aqueduct and the turning on of the water in Exposition Park, which enterprise will reach its consummation at about the same time—definitely speaking, early in 1913.

Carried away with his enthusiasm over these two tremendous undertakings which have been put through by the people of Los Angeles, Mr. Radford declared that the Panama Canal was mere boy's play by comparison in its local importance.

Of course, he afterward qualified this statement, but anyway, considered from a local standpoint, he gives the palm of preference to the park and the aqueduct. Mr. Radford tossed a bouquet to William Mulholland, and another to Fred Eaton, for their sagacity in thinking out the scheme and in paving the way for securing this great water supply. He explained also about the playground feature of Exposition Park, whereby a tract of forty acres in the center of the old racetrack will be converted into recreation grounds. One-half of the tract will be developed at once as a playground. It happens that this tract is over a sand and gravel strata where tons can be taken out for commercial purposes, and it is planned to reserve twenty acres for this purpose and to gradually lower the level until a natural amphitheater is formed, to be used for athletic sports.

The entire club session was given over to a consideration of Exposition Park, the city art center. The speakers, beside Mr. Radford, were J. S. Slauson, W. M. Bowen and A. S. Rosenheim. As the latter gentleman was called away from the city and could not be present, his place on the programme was filled by Mrs. W. H. Housh, president emeritus and founder of the Fine Arts League, which feature Mr. Rosenheim was to represent.

Mrs. Randall Hutchinson, chairman of the Art Committee of the Friday Morning Club, presided, and W. M. Bowen was the first speaker called upon. He confined his remarks to the early history of the park—from the time—now fourteen years ago—when, as the old Agricultural Park, it was known as a resort where all sorts of gambling devices were in full swing, with a saloon just outside the gate and two more inside, and with brutal rabbit chases going on. He described the battles in the Legislature and out to secure to the city this valuable property of 117 acres, on which has now been expended the enormous sum of $1,800,000—and that is only a starter.

J. S. Slauson then took up the story and asked the co-operation of the club women in getting through the next Legislature the bill to provide for the permanent exhibit to place in the great Exposition building on an increased scale of the Chamber of Commerce exhibit. Speaking of this last institution, which is now the pride of every loyal Los Angeles citizen, he went back to the beginning, some twenty-two years ago, when, on a warm summer's day, a tall, lanky, perspiring individual was pushing a wheelbarrow of pumpkins along the then unpaved streets of Los Angeles.

"Wiggins, what on earth are you doing with those pumpkins?" shrieked a passer-by.

"We're opening a Chamber of Commerce," replied the imperturable Wiggins, "and I'm getting the exhibits together."

Mrs. Housh described the museum of history, science and art, with its great rotunda seventy feet in diameter, its projecting wings, its mosaic-tiled floor, and Italian marble walls, the light falling in softened rays from the central dome through a screen of art glass. Here will be the home of the treasures of the Southern California Academy of Science in one wing, of the Historical Society in another, while the rotunda and a third wing will house the art treasures. The Audubon Society, the southern division of the Cooper Ornithological Society, and many private collections will also find here space for exhibits.

Mrs. D. C. McCann, president of the club, announced that the Drama Committee will hold an extra meeting next Tuesday, when Dr. Dorothea Moore of New Haven will be the guest of honor and will give the programme. An informal reception will follow.

Tickets were given out for the Christmas concert to be given on the Sunday afternoon preceding Christmas. This concert is designed, not for club members, but rather for people outside the club who enjoy good music and do not have the opportunity to go on week days. Over 1000 tickets will be given out for this first popular Christmas concert.

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...MINISTERS MEETING. ...of Self-Advertising in ...will be the somewhat ...upon which Rev. Jesse ...will address the minis... ...Baptist churches, at the ...Christian Church on Mon... ...at 10 o'clock. Another ...has the same sort of a ...is by Rev. D. R. Dun... ...speak on "How to Avoid ...Dead Line." Rev. J. ...introduce a discussion ..."Affirmed, that the ...a redeemed, not a ...world." The meeting will ...to public.

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...BIBLE INSTITUTE. ...A. Torrey, the evangelist ...held a series of meetings ...years ago, stating at ...he had in all his world... ...found a place in which ...rather live than in Los An... ...arrive here the first of the ...to his residence. He will ...New York on Tuesday from ...will leave almost imme... ...to go to his duties as dean ...Bible Institute. ...Moody Bible Institute, ...Chicago, for sev... ...with the Moody School, ...city for Los Angeles on ...join Dr. Torrey in his ...

...MUSIC SERVICE. ...TO GIVE THANKS. ...thanksgiving service ...in the Auditorium on ...December 31, to ...of every creed or no ...which it is order that they ...thanks for the blessings of ...It will be a great patriotic ...of gratitude, under the ...of E. D. Richards, who ...entertainment two years ago. ...noted speakers and singers ...secured in advance, and an ...as well as helpful meet... ...A collection will be ...the benefit of the Los Ange... ...Home, with which to es... ...much-needed medical de...

...FEAST OF GUADALUPE. ...CHURCH CELEBRATION. ...Feast of Our Lady Guadalupe ...this evening at the Old ...Plaza Church, when a ba... ...entertainment will be held. ...will first be held in the ...followed by the opening of ...in the patio. The or... ...be under the direction ...Flores and a playlet, "Las ...will be given by Mrs. J. ...L. Valencia, Miss A. ...Miss Monnoy. Spanish ...be served. ...morning at 9:15 there ...a parade of the Society of ...Guadalupe and of the ...Our Lady of Guadalupe. ...they will carry banners ...Plaza Hall. At 9:30 a ...Mass will be celebrated, ...sermon by Father ... At 7 o'clock in the ...there will be a procession ...and an entertain...

...CHURCH BRIEFS. ...DEDICATION OF THE REDEMPTION ...dedication service at the First ...tomorrow will be ...dedication of the ..."Redemption," by ...direction of Carl ...by his great

chorus choir. The public is invited to enjoy the rare programme, in the morning, Rev. Samuel L. Beiler will again supply the pulpit, which he has done for the past two Sundays to the great satisfaction of his hearers.

Fifty new members will be received into Immanuel Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning by Dr. Hugh K. Walker, and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. In the evening the Royal Welsh Ladies' Choir will sing and Dr. Walker will deliver a short address. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

Bishop Bell will preach in the First United Brethren Church on Sunday morning, and the pastor, Rev. J. A. Eby, will preach in the evening, on "The Masterly Man."

The topic of Rev. William Horace Day of the First Congregational Church, on Sunday morning, will be "Christ's Commission to the Modern Man." In the evening, "Israel's Prophets and Poets," illustrated by the stereopticon.

"Stephen and His Associates" will be Dr. Carter's morning topic at the First Baptist Church tomorrow. "Paris and France," will be the evening travel-sermon, illustrated by a stereopticon. A. A. Maourda will sing a French solo.

Rev. Robert A. Hadden will preach on Sunday morning in Bethesda Presbyterian Church, on "The Greatest Work in the World;" in the evening, "The Greatest Question in the World."

Rev. Jesse W. Ball, pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Vermont avenue and Thirty-sixth place, will preach tomorrow morning on "The Message of John, the Message for Today;" in the evening, "The Christ Unknown."

The Welsh Choir will sing at the morning service in the Auditorium, and Dr. Brougher will preach on "Platonic Love." In the evening, Dr. Brougher's topic will be, "The Women Tougher Than Men?" There will be a fine programme of music by the great chorus choir.

"A Refuge in the Time of Storm," will be Dean MacCormack's morning topic at St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral tomorrow, and in the evening he will take the subject: "Men and Irreligion Movement." Members will be received into the Daughters of the King at night, and the choir will sing, "Awake, My Heart."

Rev. John C. Hay will preach tomorrow morning in the Broadway Christian Church on the subject: "The Power of the Living Word," and in the evening on "Repentance and the Divine Forgiveness."

Rev. E. K. Bransford, recently appointed minister of St. Paul's M. E. Church, South Eighteenth street and Union avenue, has taken up his residence there with his family, and is reorganizing the work with much promise of success. Thursday last was observed as the annual "parsonage day" by the members of the congregation, and the pastor's family was remembered with many evidences of good will.

At Central Christian Church, Thirty-first street, and Maple avenue, Rev. Mr. Keller will preach tomorrow morning on "Our Opportunity," and in the evening on "Spiritual Appetites."

"Jesus' Message to Men of Today," will be the subject of the morning sermon by Rev. W. D. Landis of Westlake Presbyterian Church. His evening sermon will be on "The Character of Jesus."

Rev. O. J. H. Preus of Our Savior's Evangelical Lutheran Church, will preach in English on Sunday morning, and in the evening, will hold Norwegian-Danish services.

Mrs. S. Yerkes van Meter will speak at the Y.W.C.A. on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and Mrs. Robert F. Fowler will sing.

"The Young Man and His Money," will be the subject of a sermon by Rev. Arthur S. Phelps, pastor of Central Baptist Church, tomorrow night. "Liberty Through the Spirit," will be his morning topic.

Mrs. Von Wagner of the City Housing Commission, will speak in the First Unitarian Church on Sunday morning, at 10:15. The public is invited to hear her.

"A Marked Man," will be the subject of the morning sermon tomorrow, by Rev. C. E. Cornell, pastor of the First Church of the Nazarene. In the evening, "A Big Fool." People's meeting in the afternoon.

The children of the Beth Israel Hebrew School will have their annual examination tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. There will also be a musical service in the evening.

The Evening Graded Union of Sunday-school Teachers will meet at the Y.W.C.A. on Monday evening at 7 o'clock. All teachers are invited to attend.

BIBLE LESSON HELPS.

Prepared for "The Times" by Dr. G. Campbell Morgan, the World's Most Famous Expositor.

EZRA TEACHES THE LAW

LESSON: Nehemiah viii.
GOLDEN TEXT: Psalm xix, 7. "The law of the Lord is perfect, restoring the soul."

(1) And all the people gathered themselves together as one man into the broad place that was before the water gate; and they spake unto Ezra, the scribe, to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the Lord had commanded to Israel. (2) And Ezra the priest brought the law before the congregation, both men and women, and all that could hear with understanding, upon the first day of the seventh month. (3) And he read therein before the broad place that was before the water gate from early morning until midday, in the presence of the men and the women, and of those that could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book of the law. (4) And Ezra, the scribe stood upon a pulpit of wood, which they had made for the purpose; and beside him stood Mattithiah, and Shema, and Anaiah, and Uriah, and Hikiah, and Maaseiah, on his right hand; and on his left hand, Pedeiah, and Mishel, and Malchijah, and Hashum, and Hashbaddanah, Zechariah, and Meshullam. (5) And Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people (for he was above all the people:) and when he opened it, all the people stood up; (6) and Ezra blessed the Lord, the Great God. And all the people answered, Amen, Amen, with the lifting up of their hands; and they bowed their heads, and worshiped the Lord with their faces to the ground. (7) Also Jeshua, and Bani, and Sherebiah, Jamin, Akkub, Shabbethai, Hodiah, Maaseiah, Kelita, Azariah, Jozabed, Hanan, Pelaiah, and the Levites, caused the people to understand the law; and the people stood in their place. (8) And they read in the book, in the law of God, distinctly; and they gave the sense, so that they understood the reading. (9) And Nehemiah, which was the Tirshatha, and Ezra the priest, the scribe, and the Levites that taught the people, said unto all the people, This day is holy unto the Lord, your God; mourn not, nor weep. For all the people wept, when they heard the words of the law. (10) Then he said unto them, Go your way, eat the fat, and drink the sweet, and send portions unto him for whom nothing is prepared; for this day is holy unto our Lord; neither be ye grieved; for the joy of the Lord is your strength. (11) So the Levites stilled all the people, saying, Hold your peace, for the day is holy; neither be ye grieved. (12) And all the people went their way to eat, and to drink, and to send portions, and to make great mirth, because they had understood the words that were declared unto them. (13) And on the second day were gathered together the heads of fathers' houses of all the people, the priests, and the Levites, unto Ezra the scribe, even to give attention to the words of the law. (14) And they found written in the law, how that the Lord had commanded by Moses, that the children of Israel should dwell in booths in the feast of the seventh month; (15) and that they should publish and proclaim in all their cities, and in Jerusalem, saying, Go forth unto the mount, and fetch olive branches, and branches of wild olive, and myrtle branches, and palm branches, and branches of thick trees, to make booths, as it is written. (16) So the people went forth, and brought them, and made themselves booths, every one upon the roof of his house, and in their courts, and in the courts of the house of God, and in the broad place of the water gate, and in the broad place of the gate of Ephriam. (17) And all the congregation of them that were come again out of the captivity made booths, and dwelt in the booths; for since the days of Jeshua the son of Nun unto that day had not the children of Israel done so. And there was very great gladness. (18) Also day by day, from the first day unto the last day, he read in the book of the law of God. And they kept the feast seven days; and, on the eighth day was a solemn assembly, according unto the ordinance.

The Story:

The building of the wall being completed, Nehemiah turned his attention to the business of setting everything in order within the city; first attending to certain civil matters of immediate urgency; and then with the co-operation of Ezra, to the general religious condition of the people.

To the oversight of the city he appointed his own brother Hanani, in conjunction with Hananiah, whom he described as "a faithful man and feared God above many." He gave them strict instructions concerning the guarding of the city, a suggestive and almost melancholy picture of which is afforded in the declaration that it was wide and large, that there were but few people living in it and that the houses were not builded. The gates were not to be opened until the day was well advanced, or as it is figuratively expressed, in the record, "until the sun was hot." At night the gates were to be shut and barred before the guard was removed. He arranged courses of citizen watchmen, and with a fine administrative sagacity, provided that each should watch near his own house. Undoubtedly all this was necessary because of the hostility of those who had persistently endeavored to prevent the building of the walls.

These things being arranged, the attention of the people was turned toward religious reform. This was initiated in a new and remarkable way. At the request of the people themselves, they being gathered together in a public place, Ezra, elevated on a pulpit or tower of wood, gave a public reading of the law of God. After the reading, assisted by a company of helpers, the multitudes doubtless being divided into separate groups, he gave an exposition of what had been read. The statement that "they read in the book, in the law of God distinctly, and they gave the sense, so that they understood the reading," means a great deal more than that the reading was characterized by good elocution. The word "distinctly" means that an interpretation was given, which is further explained by the giving of the sense, so that the people understood.

On the second day the heads of houses, the priests and the Levites were specially gathered around Ezra for the study of the words of the law. As a result of this study there was an immediate observance of the feast of tabernacles, during the whole of which the work of reading and exposition was continued.

As the result of this special exposition, two weeks later there was a solemn assembly of the people for the specific purposes of confession and dedication. As the ultimate result of all this, a new covenant was made of dedication to the law of God, and was signed by princes and Levites and priests, a list of signatories being given in the book of Nehemiah.

The final chapters of the book are occupied with the account of the enforcement of the moral order upon this basis of religious covenant.

The Teaching:

The permanent value of this story must be perfectly patent. It is a revelation of the importance and fruitfulness of the proclamation of the word of God to the people. Wherever this is done as thoroughly as it was done by Ezra, and those associated with him, the same effects follow, and we may note them in order.

The first effect of return, on the part of the people of God, to the study of the word of His law is always that of a consciousness of failure.

The second effect is that those who come to a true understanding of the teaching of the Scriptures come thereby into a new realization of the love which inspires law. It is impossible intelligently to study these books of the Old Testament, to say nothing of the New, without coming to the conviction that all the activity of God in government is impulsed by the love of His heart. This is seen in His constant readiness to pardon and restore His repentant people; but it is also manifested in that severity which persistently refuses to make any truce with evil, or to excuse sin.

As a result of these first effects of the teaching of the word there is produced a genuine humiliation, and an honest confession of sin. This is the issue, not of a consciousness of failure merely, but of an understanding of what sin means to God, resulting from the discovery, through His word, of the love of His heart.

Finally the outcome of the teaching and understanding of the Scriptures is that of a moral or ethical revival following religious or spiritual renewal.

Of course for these effects to be permanent, there must be continued study of the writings in which God has revealed Himself and His will; and constant obedience thereto. To cease to know is to cease to do; and to fail to do is to become unable to know.

The Golden Text:

The golden text, which is selected from Psalm xix., describes one value of the law, that especially illustrated in the story of Ezra's mission in Jerusalem. It is not the only value, as reference to the same psalm will show.

The revised rendering of the passage is not an improvement upon the Authorized. "Converting" is a more accurate word than "reporting." Quite literally the word means to turn back, so that the statement is, "The law of the Lord is perfect, turning back the soul." That is of course converting, and that is the particular value which is illustrated in this story.

The law of the Lord is at once the standard of the Divine requirement and the revelation of the reason thereof. Consequently it is at once a revelation of sin, and of the heart of God; and that as we have seen is the twofold revelation which constrains men to return to Him.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union office for Mrs. L. Myers, Miss Irene Welde, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith (2,) Mr. T. J. Lancaster, Sid Totten, J. H. Baird, Paul Bohm, Charles Brooks, George M. Drum, eGorge E. Hess, I. F. Heck, Henry Wever, M. E. Cornellius and Gus Applegreen.

At the Postal office for Edward A. Mollison, Mrs. Georgia Sando, Mrs. M. Peterson and J. L. Cox.

Important Services Tomorrow.

METHODIST.

WESTLAKE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
Corner Eighth and Burlington.
D. F. HOWE, Pastor.
Preaching by the Pastor at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Morning Subject: "GENTLENESS IS THE ONLY POWER THAT MAKES TRUE GREATNESS."
Evening Subject: "THE ONLY CHRISTMAS GIFT THAT LASTS."

UNIVERSITY METHODIST CHURCH,
West Jefferson and McClintock.
THE LARGEST FAMILY CHURCH IN THE CITY.
JAMES ALLEN GEISSINGER, Pastor. Preaching 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday-school, 9:30. Epworth League, 6:30 p.m.
Important services both morning and evening.

HAMILTON METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
Corner Naomi and East Eighteenth streets.
Take Central avenue car to 18th and east one block, or Hooper avenue to 18th and west one block. REV. W. A. KNIGHTEN, Pastor.
Two services on the Men and Religion Forward Movement.
Morning, 11:00 a.m.: "Christ answers questions for the men."
Evening, 8:00 p.m.: "A Young Man's Soliloquy, or What He Thought of Himself."
EVERYBODY WELCOME.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH.
Ninth and Grand Avenue.
ROBERT PAINE HOWELL, Pastor.
All are cordially invited.
Morning: "The Made Up Mind."
Evening: With Reference to Men and Religion Forward Movement.

BAPTIST.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH,
"Auditorium Beautiful," Fifth and Olive Sts.
DR. BROUGHER, Pastor.

11 a.m.: "Platonic Love," seventh in series on "Some Old Love Letters."
ROYAL WELSH LADIES' CHOIR of Cardiff, Wales.
7:15 p.m.: Baptism. "Are Women Tougher Than Men?"
Special Music by Big Temple Choir.
Miss Marguerite Cooper and Dr. C. H. Pratt, Soloists.
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH,
South Flower, near Seventh street.
DR. C. M. CARTER, Pastor.
11 a.m., "STEPHEN AND HIS ASSOCIATES."
7:30 p.m., "PARIS AND FRANCE." Beautifully illustrated. French solo. Fine music. COME.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH,
Second and St. Louis streets.
Interesting and important services both morning and evening.
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CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH,
Alvarado and Pico streets.
DR. ARTHUR S. PHELPS, Minister.
Morning subject: "Liberty Through the Spirit."
Evening topic: "A Young Man and His Money."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Services of The Christian Science Churches OF LOS ANGELES

FIRST CHURCH—Ebell Clubhouse, Eighteenth and Figueroa sts. Sunday, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday-school 9:30 a.m. Wednesday meeting, 8 p.m.

SECOND CHURCH—Church edifice, West Adams st., near Hoover. Sunday 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday-school 9:30 and 11 a.m. Wednesday meeting, 8 p.m.

THIRD CHURCH—Church edifice, 734 S. Hope st. Sunday, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday meeting 8 p.m.

FOURTH CHURCH—Friday Morning Clubhouse, 940 S. Figueroa st. Sunday, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday meeting, 8 p.m.

SIXTH CHURCH—Southgate Masonic Hall, 33d and Main sts. (lower floor.) Sunday, 11 a.m. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday meeting, 8 p.m.

SERMON FROM THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE QUARTERLY
SUBJECT "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?"

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOMS.
LOS ANGELES—704 H. W. Hellman Bldg., 4th, and Spring sts. Open daily, Sunday excepted, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
HOLLYWOOD—561 W. Hollywood Blvd. Open daily, except Sunday, from 2 to 5 p.m.

UNITARIAN.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH,
South Flower street, between Ninth and Tenth.
E. STANTON HODGIN, Minister.
"Can We Follow Jesus?" will be the subject for Sunday morning, December 16.
Sunday-school at 10 o'clock. Young People's Class and Social Service Class at 10:15.
Mrs. Von Wagner of the City Housing Commission will speak to the Social Service Class.

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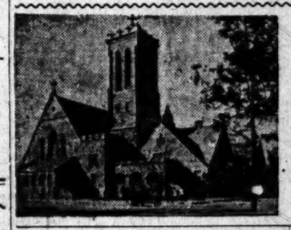
9:30 a.m.: Bible-school. 11:00 a.m.: Morning Worship. 7:45 p.m.: Evening Worship.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH,
Hope and Eleventh streets.
REV. RUSSELL F. THRAPP, Pastor.
REV. RUSSELL E. BOOKER, Associate.
Morning service, 11 a.m. Evening service, 7:30 p.m. Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m. Christian Endeavor, 6:15 and 6:30 p.m.
Morning Subject: "JESUS CHRIST AND HIM CRUCIFIED."
Evening: "THE CALL OF THE NAIL-PIERCED HANDS."

BROADWAY CHRISTIAN CHURCH,
Opposite the Courthouse.
Bible-school, 9:30 a.m. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:45 p.m. by John C. Hay. Communion service following the morning discourse. Young People's Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
WELCOME ALL.

EPISCOPAL.



CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
Corner Twelfth and Flower Sts.
REV. BAKER P. LEE, Rector.
7:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
9:30 a.m.—Sunday-school.
11:00 a.m.—Morning prayer and sermon by the Rector.
8 p.m.—Sermon by the Rector.
University cars pass the door. Strangers cordially welcome.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL,
523 South Olive street.
VERY REV. WILLIAM MacCORMACK, D. D., Dean, will preach.
7:30: Holy Communion.
11 a.m.: Morning Prayer. Topic: A REFUGE IN THE TIME OF STORM.
7:45: Choir will sing Stanford's Cantata, "AWAKE MY HEART." Topic: MEN AND IRRELIGION MOVEMENT.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
West Adams and Figueroa streets.
Take Grand ave. or Main st. cars to W. Adams st. or University car to Chester Place and walk through Chester Place.
REV. LEWIS G. MORRIS, Rector.
7:30 a.m. ..... Holy Communion
11 a.m. ..... Morning Prayer and Sermon by the Rector
7:30 ..... Evening Prayer and Address
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West Adams.
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Figueroa at Tenth street.
REV. HUGH K. WALKER, D.D., Pastor.
Morning service, 11 o'clock. ADMINISTRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER.
Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. CONCERT BY ROYAL WELSH LADIES' CHOIR. Suitable addresses.
Bible-school at 9:30 a.m. C. E. at 3, 4 and 6:15 p.m.
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL.

CONGREGATIONAL.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,
Hope street, near Ninth.
REV. WM. HORACE DAY, D. D., Pastor.
11 a.m.: Christ's Commission to the Modern Man.
7:45, p.m.: The Growth of the Bible.
Israel's Prophets and Poets. Illustrated.

INDEPENDENT.

THE UNITY CENTER OF PRACTICAL SCIENTIFIC CHRISTIANITY,
Meeting at Equity Hall, 521 West Pico street, at 11 a.m.
Address by JUDGE HENRY H. BENSON. Topic: "Words: Their Uses and Misuses." Good music.
The Bible Harmony Class will assemble in the parlors of the Independent Church of Christ, corner of 18th and Figueroa sts., at 2:30 p.m. Class led by L. W. BLINN.

CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS.

THE VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA,
128 East First street.
Gospel services every night at 8 p.m. Maud B. Booth Home for Friendless Children, 23d st. and Vermont ave. 50 children in home. Donation of clothing and money needed. Christmas benefit for the needy. Provisions for families. Toys, fruits, nuts, candy and clothing for children. Money and provisions needed for this worthy charity. Kindly help. Send all donations to 128 E. First st.

BIBLE INSTITUTES.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

BY WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

A CHRISTMAS WORLD.

Terse Comments Upon the Uniform Prayer-Meeting Topic of the Young People's Societies, Christian Endeavors, Etc.—For December 24 Is "The Gift That Transforms the World." II Corinthians 9:15; Luke 1:46-55.

The world is shaking today. But it is shaking up, not down. The agitation and turmoil that fills the newspapers with its echoes, the unrest and reform that even the casual observer cannot help seeing, no matter which way he looks, all cry a seasonable message—"Christmas is coming, the world around, and all the year through." What are these signs we see but the earth travailing to bring forth a new creation, and to usher in the reign of the Prince of Peace? The very unrest of earth is itself a promise of the better day. So instead of being troubled and cast down by the unprecedented upheaval of universal society, let us count it a sign of the coming of Christmas.

The Christmas spirit is winning dominion over an increasing number of individual hearts daily, and in that sure and irresistible way, Christmas is conquering the world.

Whatever enthrones Christ promotes Christmas.

The wonder-star, and the heavenly chorus, hold the interest less today than do the shivering shepherds on the hillside, the lonely mother in her plight, and the Babe born so nigh to the dumb creatures, and to earth's poor. What may be termed sociological significance of the Christmas story holds men's interest nowadays. The eternal human appeal of mortal need, and the inspiring conception of a Savior who has come into the midst of it, and as a very part of it, grips the imagination of this generation, which is so keen on the quest of brotherhood. "Touched with a feeling of our infirmities," born kin to all our natural life and needs—that is the Redeemer for whom the race is yearning.

Great gifts are common nowadays. The average man can read of a $10,000,000 bequest to charity with only languid interest. There is nothing new or sensational in the practice. Instinctively, the normal person realizes that the greatest gift is not of money, no matter how vast it may be. The benefaction which counts for most is the gift of a life. Only life can meet life's needs. God might have sent a new philosophy into the world to redeem the race, or a new organization of human society, or a new law on fresh tables of stone. But his way was better. He sent the best that heaven held of life—his own nature, personified in His Son, born as a babe, living a normal life, performing a divine ministry, and dying a vicarious death. Jesus brought life that men might have life, and have it more abundantly.

"'Tis life of which our veins are scant,
Life, more life, and fuller that we want."

There cannot be a Christmas world made up of unchristmasy people. It is Christmas in the heart that puts Christmas in the air.

Programs and philosophies for making over the world are as common as flies in a molasses factory. The libraries are full of what Lord Rosebery lately called, "dead books" upon theories for the improvement of society. It would take a full issue of this paper merely to print the names and objects of the societies existing upon this continent for the improvement of mankind. None of them, however, has made any material impression upon the children of Adam. The transformation of which seers have prophesied and poets have sung is to come only as the new life which first touched earth at the little Judean town of Bethlehem becomes the inmost and outworking life of mankind. God's good gift of His Son is the only hope for a transformed world.

The coming of Christ made Christmas. Every day and hour he is coming anew to some saved soul and Christmas is created again. Christmas says that Christ has come and is still coming.

Christ himself came, "Not to be ministered unto, but to minister;" and he puts the same spirit into the hearts of his loyal followers. Not get, but give, is the royal law. Today the world is filled with a shining company of men and women who are following in the train of Jesus, and spending themselves, as best they know how, in labor for the welfare of their fellow men. Every "Red Cross Stamp" that appears on a Christmas letter is but an expression of this spirit. So are the thousands of Christmas dinners that will be given to the poor. So are the wide-reaching ministrations of foreign missions. So are the multitude of altruistic activities though they are not labeled with the name of Christ, are yet born of his Spirit.

He is sharing the work of the Christmas angels who by any means is telling the world that God loves it.

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS.

Moderation is the silken string running through the pearl chain of all virtues.—[Fuller.

We can help make people bright by our keenness, but we can never accomplish anything toward making people good except by our tenderness.—[Parkhurst.

Tread all life's ways with awed, expectant feet;
Men jostle heaven in every common street.
—[Langbridge.

Intaking and outgiving—getting good and giving good—that is our main business.—[C. G. Ames.

He who will never do anything that he is not paid for will soon reach the place where no one will pay for anything that he does.—[Christian Register.

Self-reverence, self-knowledge, self-control,
These three alone lead life to sovereign power.
—[Tennyson.

It does not take a great man to be a Christian, but it takes all there is of him.—[The Evangel.

In Black on White.

MERCURY HITS HIGH PLACES.

ATHLETIC CLUB'S MAGAZINE IN INSTANT FAVOR.

Members to Be Informed of Plans and Doings of Organization in New Era of Its Existence—President's Declaration of Policy Demands Best of Everything.

Published especially for the benefit of the Los Angeles Athletic Club, the beautiful new magazine Mercury has made an instant list. The make-up of the new publication is artistic, and among the contributors to the first edition are several of the best writers in Los Angeles.

With an Editorial Committee consisting of Harry C. Carr, Samuel T. Clover and E. E. McDowell, with Stinson Jarvis as assistant editor, and such men as Charles F. Hathaway, Paul G. Helmer and W. F. Henderson in control of the business department, the magazine has an excellent chance of becoming the brilliant success which its enterprising managers intend it to be.

With the advent of the Mercury and the completion of the new Athletic Club building, the Los Angeles Athletic Club will enter upon a new era of its existence. The magazine will keep the members fully informed as to the plans and progress of the club.

A portrait of R. A. Rowan, president of the club, under whose administration the organization has made such glowing progress, is used as the frontispiece of the initial issue. Upon the first page Rowan has published the "Declaration of Policy," and among other interesting things, he says:

"The Los Angeles Athletic Club does not want and will not tolerate in its entertainments or in the conduct of its members anything which is vulgar or indecent in its tendencies and the test of each particular act or speech will be: Could our mothers, wives or daughters be present without offense?"

Among other interesting articles in the first issue of Mercury are "The Origin and Danger of Muscle," "Health Talks," "The Insane Asylum," and articles on boxing, wrestling and fencing. The editorial page is very attractive and promises to be one of the brightest features of the magazine.

SOCIAL REFORM DISCUSSED.

Women's Christian Temperance Union Holds a Convention in Temperance Temple.

The Congress of Social Reforms, under the auspices of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, held three sessions yesterday in Temperance Temple, presided over by Mrs. Hattie V. King, superintendent of institute work. During the morning session the following addresses were delivered: "Our Do-Everything Policy," Mrs. Viola Norman, president of the Orange County Union;" "The Milwaukee Convention," Mrs. Hester T. Griffith; "Our Political Status," Mrs. Hattie C. Young, followed by a discussion led by Mrs. Lucy S. Blanchard.

At the afternoon session addresses were delivered by Rev. J. A. Geissinger and Rev. F. M. Larkin of this city, on the subject of "Campaign Facts;" by Mrs. C. P. Wheat on "Temperance in the Home," Mrs. E. L. Wood, State superintendent of mother's meetings, leading the discussion; Mrs. Mary E. Kuhl, evangelistic superintendent, spoke on "The New Humanity."

Last night Judge Paul McCormack spoke on the probation law, and Mrs. Bessie Scoville, national secretary of Minnesota, delivered an address on the "Young People's Branch." In the interest of this latter work, a convention will be held today, with sessions both morning and afternoon, and on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock a session will be held in Central Presbyterian Church, when Mrs. Scoville will speak again.

FOREFATHERS' DAY.

New England Society to Celebrate Next Thursday Evening with a Supper and Programme.

The New England Society will celebrate Forefathers' Day next Thursday at the Federation Club rooms, Wright & Callender building, Fourth and Hill streets, with a New England supper and musical and literary numbers, giving the following interesting programme:

Social hour, 6 to 7 o'clock p.m.; New England supper, 7 o'clock; address by H. A. Palmer, vice-president, and introduction of Waldo M. York as toastmaster, 8 o'clock; toast, "The Influence of New England in the West," Frank S. Forbes; toast, "The New England Spirit as Exemplified in the County Hospital," Fred W. Fuller; toast, "The New England Women in the Suffrage Cause," Mrs. John T. Pope; toast, "The Educational System of New England—Its Influence on the Nation," H. O. Wheeler; toast, "Our Foremothers," Mrs. Warren F. Day.

The responses will be limited to five minutes. Other short addresses are expected and there will be good music at intervals. Those who are to attend the supper must notify the secretary, Denis Evarts Bowman, by Wednesday. The members of the New England Society who will not be able to attend the supper will be admitted to the musical and literary exercises, with their guests, at 8 o'clock, if wearing a New England badge. Those not having badges can obtain them from the secretary at No. 528 Mason building, Fourth and Broadway.

LOWER COURT REVERSED.

The Supreme Court has reversed Judge Hutton, on the question of the admission of evidence in the action brought by Frank M. Arnold against the California Standard Portland Cement Company, to recover damages by reason of injuries received through the alleged neglect of the corporation in the use of an electric battery. The jury in the lower court gave Arnold a judgment for $7000, but the case must now be retired. As an employee of the cement company, Arnold was injured while blasting out a deposit of clay with dynamite. Judge Hutton allowed the plaintiff and other corroborating witnesses to testify that Arnold had used usual caution and reasonable precaution in handling the battery, but the Supreme Court declares that it was the province of the jury to determine whether such had been the case from the evidence showing just what had been done.

HURT BY AUTO TRUCK.

George Morrow, an oil driller of Mecca, Riverside county, sustained a fractured left leg by being knocked down by an auto truck at the intersection of First and San Pedro streets, yesterday morning. He was run down by D. L. La Osse, a contractor of No. 1567 West Twenty-fifth street. Neither man saw the other until too late.

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OCCIDENTAL ON JOY WAGON.

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nouncement, and when it quieted down, Dr. Baer continued:

"That statement is a brief one and as simple as it is brief; but nevertheless it represents a strenuous campaign for funds covering nearly two years. It is not necessary to recite the experiences of the past months. The important thing is that Occidental College will be moved, and that all doubt has been dispelled by the old and new friends who have furnished enough money to do it. More than that, other friends have added $80,000 to the permanent endowment fund of the college.

"It is with especial satisfaction we announce that, with the exception of $30,000 from a friend in Cleveland, O., every dollar has come from citizens of Los Angeles county."

Dr. Baer, without mentioning names, tendered the thanks of the trustees to all the donors of land and money that have made the development of the college possible, and announced that an adequate and broader work will continue on the old campus until September, 1913, by which time the three buildings mentioned, and two smaller ones, will be ready for occupancy. He also said that the old campus and buildings are for sale, to be vacated at that time, and that this sale would produce funds for further improvements on the new campus. Continuing, he said:

OLD FRIENDS REMEMBERED.

"Whenever a sale is made, the trustees will lay aside a sufficient sum to rebuild the library, which will be named the 'Stimson Library,' so that upon the new campus Occidental will continue to enjoy and be profited by the thoughtfulness of Charles M. Stimson. It is the purpose of the trustees to have cast upon bronze tablets their recognition and appreciation of the earlier gifts of parts of the old campus, made by Dr. and Mrs. John A. Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Rutan, the tables to be permanently placed in one of the new buildings.

"Every class-tree and class-ivy will be transplanted; every class-stone and the sundial will be reset. In fact, the trustees will remove to the new campus every important tie that binds the early benefactors, the alumni and students to the old campus. Painful as it must of necessity be to some to see the old campus turned over in time to others, nevertheless it is necessary to give up the old and occupy the new. The transfer will be made with appreciation and reverent respect and regard for all the old traditions and spirit that has made Occidental what it is today.

"The dawn of this new day marks another advancement in Occidental's history. With it comes added responsibility growing out of peculiar perils and opportunities. That opportunity demands infinite wisdom, generous cooperation, adequate equipment, and capacity for illimitable service. With joy the trustees begin the new mile of duty and privilege, and solemnly aver that sound teaching, pure living and unswerving loyalty to Jesus Christ and God's word are the corner-stones upon which will be erected the new and greater Occidental."

President Baer read a score of telegrams of congratulation upon the final success of his efforts, among those received being one from President Taft and one from Gov. Johnson.

Brief speeches of congratulation were then made by Mayor Alexander, Dr. Hugh K. Walker, L. A. Handley and W. L. Greene. The speeches were followed by showing stereopticon pictures of the new site, the plan of the campus and perspectives of the proposed buildings. Greatest enthusiasm marked every step of the assembly.

The new campus consists of ninety acres in Occidental Park, just over the hills west of the present campus in Eagle Rock Valley. It is part level and part hill, and surrounded by the most magnificent natural scenery, with the mountain range for a background and the prospect leading toward the sea. The site of the outdoor amphitheater or Greek theater, is pronounced the best in America, while the administration building and the president's manse will occupy commanding positions.

The group of buildings when complete will consist of nine, and all will be of reinforced concrete, and absolutely fireproof. The campus, under the most ideal atmospheric conditions in the world, will lend itself to growth of trees and beauty of foliage that will give it a charm unapproachable.

Every citizen of Los Angeles will join in the congratulations that have been showered upon the management of the college, at the consummation of its hopes. The college now has an enrollment of between 300 and 400 students, and the scramble to get in indicates its popularity with the fathers and mothers of young men and young women seeking the best training under ideal Christian conditions.

CRISP NEW ONE AND TWO-DOLLAR BILLS.

The Los Angeles Hibernian Savings Bank, northeast corner of Spring and Third streets, has a supply of new $1 and $2 bills, for those who desire them for Christmas remembrances.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR MEN FOLKS

Here are some safe rules to follow in selecting a Christmas Gift when you are in doubt

Neckwear

New crochet, accordion knit, most every imaginable plain or fancy shade of silk,

25c to $4

Gloves

Fownes, Dent's, Perrin's, Cross and other good makes, in all weights and colors,

$1.50 to $3

Military Brushes

Separate or in leather cases.

Brushes $3 and $4.50

Cases $2 and Up

Traveling Cases

In pigskin, hide and [illegible] with 3 to 16 pieces,

$4 to $20

Handkerchiefs

Initials in silk or linen, colored borders in mercerized effects, plain linen and cambric,

Two for 25c to $1

Set of Six in Leather Case

$1.50, $2.50 and $3.50

Suspenders

A complete assortment of Xmas suspenders, in fancy boxes, in every imaginable shade,

75c to $5

Collar Bags

In silk—a new idea; can also be used by ladies as a sewing bag; $1.50 and $2. Leather bags of Cross and Knothe make; pigskin, seal, walrus, etc.;

$1 to $5

Bath Robes

A large assortment of [illegible] and patterns, in terry cloth, wool and silk.

Terry Cloth $4.50 to $[illegible]

Woolen $4.50 to $30

Silks $20 to $35

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LINKS OF STEEL.

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Owensmouth and the other to San Fernando Mission. A third electric road proposition has for its terminus the town of San Fernando. These are independent of the Pacific Electric line to Van Nuys which is to be opened today. Elaborate system of boulevards and highways was devised, much of which has already been constructed. The fifteen-mile main boulevard through the tract is said to have few equals anywhere.

With the boulevard and highway system assured and plans completed for the building of the electric roads, the townsite of Van Nuys was projected with an auction sale of lots held on February 22, 1911. Between 600 and 700 of the 1700 tracts into which the townsite was divided have now been sold. Many of these sites are already occupied by business and residence properties. All over the tract, fifteen by six miles, are hundreds of homes ranging from the small bungalow to modern residences costing between $20,000 and $40,000, occupying 600 and $40,000 occupying tracts ranging spaces ranging from town lots to half-sections. Ten thousand acres of the [illegible] der contract to the American Sugar tract is under contract to the American Sugar Beet Company, and many acres have been planted in orchards or devoted to ground crops.

Dispute Over Commission.

R. H. Hobday, who lives at the intersection of West Twenty-second street and South Grand avenue, was arraigned before Justice Rose in the Police Court yesterday on a complaint sworn to by D. Isner, charging him with disturbing the peace. He was placed under $10 bonds for appearance December 21. Isner is a tailor of No. 104 West Second street. The men had a dispute about a commission and came to blows. Isner declares Hobday was the aggressor.

WEIGHT CUTS OFF FOOT.

Man Working on Installation of Elevator Loses Member and Nearly Bleeds to Death.

A 4800-pound counter elevator weight fell on L. Mulligan's right foot while he was working in the Chester building, Fifth and Spring streets, early yesterday, amputating that member at the ankle.

Mulligan would have bled to death had not the members of the police ambulance who responded to the call, staunched the flow of blood.

Mulligan is an employee of the Llewellyn Iron Works, the installing of the elevators being done under the personal supervision of John Llewellyn. He was present when Mulligan was injured.

The weight which fell on Mulligan had been propped up about four feet from the ground. He was working on top of it and some other weights when they fell. Mulligan's foot went under the heavier of them, and was cut off as though by a knife. Mulligan is 25 years of age and lives at No. 1859 West Twenty-fifth street.

DEVOTED TO WIFE.

Old Man Comforts Her While Surgeons Are Setting Broken Bones and Sewing Up Wounds.

Mrs. Lydia C. Gillespie, wife of S. C. Gillespie of No. 115 South Jackson street, Glendale, sustained injuries that may prove fatal, late yesterday, when she was thrown from the buggy in which she and her husband were riding at the intersection of Pepper and Cyprus avenues. The horse took fright at a passing Salt Lake Route engine, ran away and upset the buggy, throwing both the aged people out. Both Gillespie and his wife were rendered unconscious.

At the Receiving Hospital it was found Mrs. Gillespie was suffering from a compound fracture of the right leg near the ankle. The jagged ends of the bones protruded through the flesh. Th woman was otherwise bruised. Gillespie escaped with a severe shaking up.

Gillespie accompanied his wife to the Receiving Hospital and comforted her. He refused to leave her side throughout the trying ordeal of setting the bones and sewing up the wounds. When Mrs. Gillespie was removed to the woman's ward, he accompanied his wife, sitting by her side.

TAKES CYANIDE; RECOVERS.

Man Served with Warrant to Appear Before the Insanity Commission Tries to End His Life.

Frank F. Kiser made an effort to end his life late yesterday afternoon, when he attempted to swallow a large piece of cyanide of potash after he had been served with a warrant by Deputy Sheriff Rico, which would take him before the Insanity Commission.

"He has swallowed some cyanide!" screamed a woman.

Rico turned just in time to see Kiser throw the remainder of the poison to the ground. Slapping Kiser violently on the back, he forced him to spit out the chemical before it could prove fatal. Placing Kiser in the county automobile, Rico told Chauffeur Cubbison to drive to the Receiving Hospital as quickly as he could. Cubbison says he drove from No. 2199 West Sixteenth street to the hospital in less than five minutes, his indicator frequently showing forty-five miles an hour.

At the hospital it was discovered Kiser had not swallowed any of the poison. The physicians say he is the first man they have heard of who placed cyanide in his mouth and recovered.

Warrant Fetches Him.

R. L. Young, a University line motorman who was ordered to appear in the University Police Court at 10 o'clock yesterday morning to answer to a charge of having interfered with police officers in a performance of their duty, did not appear until he learned that a bench warrant had been issued for his arrest.

Justice Williams released the man on his own recognizance when he assured the court he had property in this city. Young's preliminary examination was set for Saturday, December 23.

SAVES TIME AND MONEY.

At This Particular Season of the Year Both Are Well Worth Saving.

What is more valuable at this time, while the Yuletide is approaching, than time? Somebody who is watching the exchequer says "money." Well, save both time and money, then. How? It's easy.

You have a cousin "down home" that expects you to send the usual Christmas present. Then there are those friends that you visited last summer, who ought to be remembered. There are some other out-of-town folks, too, who'll expect a little remembrance. This will all require time and money. But here's where the saving comes in. Just clip coupons from The Times and present each one of these friends with a genuine flexible leather $4 dictionary. Nothing can be more appropriate. The $4 volume is a most beautiful book, stamped in gold and packed in a box which bears the label giving the retail price, $4, and no other marks appear thereon, so it becomes a $4 present for only six coupons and the small expense bonus amount to defray the necessary items of distribution.

Now, isn't that a real saving of time and money? Everybody will appreciate such a present, too. A modern dictionary will be welcome in every home and business office.

Today's coupon is printed on another page of this issue. Clip it and save both time and money.

THERE will be plenty of good fiction in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday.

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PERSONALS.

Daniel Quigley and Sergt. Golan of the New York police force, and Thomas Ireland and Clark, also of the metropolis, are in the city for a few weeks.

D. Phillips, Deputy Sheriff at Ely, is making his home at the Hollenbeck.

Maurice Wentzel, a retired general merchant, is registered at the hotel, as is J. Carruthers Alden, a Chicago mining promoter.

J. Higgins, sales manager for the Willys Automobile Company, manufacturers of the Overland at Toledo, is passing a few days at the Alexander. J. J. Duffy, a Wall street broker, is registered at the hotel from New York.

W. Back of Chicago is at Hotel Angeles, on his way to Honolulu, where he will spend the winter. Stack is also on the new Santa Fe de luxe, leaving Chicago Tuesday on its initial trip. He is enthusiastic in his praise of the comforts of this new train.

Lyman H. Armstrong, manager of the Theaters of San Diego, is at the Angelus while in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Becker, who arrived from Moline, Ill., Becker is director in the Red Cross Pump Manufacturing Company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harvey, with their children are occupying a suite at the Westminster. Harvey is an industrial man of Pittsburgh. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Remington are staying at the Alexandria. They are here from St. Louis, where Remington is interested in a hardware manufacturing company.

Frank Booth, president of the St. Louis Hotel company of San Francisco, and P. Pillsbury of the legal firm

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...ion Committee — F. H. ...chairman; M. C. Adler, E. H. ...H. S. Baird, J. F. Bandholtz, ...Bandholt, Dr. C. M. Benbrook, ...Beard, Geo. N. Black, Frank ...Dr. F. M. Boyle, E. J. Brent, ...Brand, G. A. Bulfinch, H. E. ...J. F. Calder, C. C. Chapman, ...Clark, J. Ted Cook, A. E. Cron- ...J. A. Chase, J. A. Carter, R. ...Cole, Dok. J. A. Driffill, W. R. ...Dr. C. H. Erwin, Herman ...D. Goldhall, Dr. R. F. Has- ...Hall, Hughes, P. K. Hatch, ...Handy, A. P. Kerchoff, B. F. ...Dr. R. E. Knepper, W. S. ...J. C. McCan, H. C. Brasher, ...Chandler, D. A. Munger, M. ...Dr. R. W. Pridham, Dell A. ...Dr. H. W. Seager, E. G. ...Smith Witherspoon, H. B. ...

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PERSONALS.

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...Rev. Y. C. Harvey, with ...are occupying a suite ...Rev. Harvey is an in- ...Pittsburgh. Mr. and ...Harvey are staying at ...They are here from St. ...Mr. Harvey is interested ...Manufacturing com- ...

...Manager of the St. ...Bank of San Fran- ...Attorney of the legal firm ...of Pillsbury, Madison & Sutro, and J. H. Bishop, manager of the City Street Improvement Company, form a trio of heavyweights in the business world of the northern city who are passing a few days at the Van Nuys while here on business.

H. C. Short and E. R. Short are guests at the Angelus. Short brothers have been in the mining business for years and are owners of the Victor, Eliro, Cecilia and a number of other valuable gold and silver properties near Fuerte on the West Coast of Mexico. Their home is in New York City.

J. N. Stewart is registered at the Hollenbeck from Zaragoza, South Australia. He is a sheep raiser and is making comparisons between the methods of production in this country and in Australia. Additionally he will take back some of the choicest obtainable stock for inter-breeding purposes.

W. F. Lynch, a dealer in photo supplies in San Francisco, is registered at the Lankershim. There are numerous other San Francisco people at the hotel, among them O. P. Scudder, manager of the Brady Sturges and Company; D. R. Oliver and F. H. Pierce, interested in the real estate business.

Charles N. Barnhart and L. N. Goodnard, who are interested in oil properties in the Maricopa field, are guests at the Van Nuys. W. W. Goodale, a Honolulu shipper and interested in several plantations, is staying at the hotel. He is accompanied by his wife and is on a tour of the United States.

C. W. Baker is a Westinghouse Airbrake Company official who arrived at the Hayward yesterday from San Francisco. R. E. Bird, an El Paso real estate operator; H. E. Aston, interested in mining properties near Phoenix, and Daniel Teare, a commission broker of New York, and his wife are other guests at the hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Saunders and James Gordon returned to the Alexandria yesterday from Coronado, to which place they motored. Saunders is connected with Matson Navigation Company of San Francisco, and is here purely on a pleasure trip. H. F. O'Fallon, an attorney of the northern city, is staying at the hotel

D. J. Hahn, Assistant City Controller of San Francisco, is a guest at the Hollenbeck. Among the other travelers who registered at the hotel yesterday are J. E. Godschaux, manager of the mining department of the Cananea Consolidated Mining Company of Cananea, Mex., and I. E. Bowers, who has mining interests in Sonora.

A party of Arizona travelers who arrived at the Alexandria yesterday was made up of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Spangler and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Chandler, who have extensive property interests at Mesa. F. C. Whittlesbey, a manufacturer of Flushing, N. J., with his wife and Miss Kalborne, is passing a few days at the hotel.

When you have a bilious attack give Chamberlain's Tablets a trial. They are excellent. For sale by all dealers.—[Adv.

"BRINGING IN THE HOLLY," "Judge Hightower," "Dr. John, Specialist," "Pine Cone Harvesting," "A Twice-Told Tale," "Zinnias and Bride Roses," "High Boots and Fustian," and "A Big Bird Farm" will be the titles of some of the good reading offered in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday.

GEORGE W. BURTON'S article in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday will be entitled "An Infant Industry." The Times Magazine the coming Sunday will be entitled "An Infant Industry."

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Work Begun Late in September---Will Be One of the Southwest's Best Appointed Tourist Hotels---Commands Magnificent View of Valley, City and Sea.

The photograph above shows construction work to date on the magnificent $300,000 Beverly Hills hotel now being constructed on one of the most sightly hotel sites in America. Hundreds of men have been rushing the construction work upon this monster hostelry, the building of which was begun the latter part of September. The contract calls for an outlay of approximately $200,000 for the building alone, exclusive of a $10,000 reinforced concrete garage for the use of the hotel's guests. About $25,000 will be expended in the landscaping of the grounds. The furnishings of the hotel will bring the total investment well over the $300,000 mark.

The building is of the beautiful California Mission type, and will cover an enormous ground area nearly 10 acres. Of the shape of a capital "T," the structure consists of a central portion and two wings, the main part being 323x60 feet in size, and the wings 100x116 feet, and 75x150 feet respectively. The main portion is three stories in height, while the wings are each four stories and basement.

The Beverly Hills hotel, notwithstanding its mammoth proportions, will maintain a homelike atmosphere. It sets far back from Sunset Boulevard, and will be approached by winding walks and drives. In appointment, the hostelry will rank as one of the most modern in the country. The building of the hotel marks a climax to the wonderful development of this comparatively new suburb of fashionable homes. Its proximity to the Los Angeles Country Club House and Golf Links, just beyond Beverly Station, will be one of its many exclusive advantages.

Generous expenditures of money and the bounteous tributes of nature have made Beverly Hills a veritable residential "garden-park." Beverly Hills has a definite, carefully worked out plan back of it. Attractive parks, tropical shrubbery, a fascinating water garden—broad, smooth, petrolithic boulevards, and many other public improvements, have been established upon a system and basis that means harmony, uniformity, grace and beauty at Beverly Hills forever.

Lots in many of the "no-plan" residence sections of Los Angeles and suburbs, where street work and improvements are of the "go-by-chance-do-as-you-please" order—are held at twice the figures asked for Beverly Hills property. You can prove this for yourself today. Shrewd, discriminating investors and home-seekers are taking advantage of the exceedingly low Beverly Hills prices.

Why buy a diminutive, insignificant 50-foot lot when you can buy a big villa site, 80x160 to 100x260, at Beverly Hills at only $1250 to $2000—with improvements, public utilities, scenery, climate, neighbors, etc., unsurpassed anywhere.

Beverly Hills has sewers, gas, electricity, telephones, ornamental parks, beautiful water garden, tropical shrubbery, excellent car service, high-class building restrictions, miles of petrolithic boulevards, cement walks and curbs, desirable elevation, charming vistas of city, valley and the sea, foothill protection, ocean breezes, climatic conditions perfect, unsurpassed mountain water. Go out today. Comfortable autos to show you around. Percy H. Clark Company, Sales Agent, 311 H. W. Hellman Building, Fourth and Spring streets, or see our Mr. Rowe at Beverly Station. Take Pacific Electric cars at Hill or Sixteenth streets.

Business: Markets, Finance and Trade.

FINANCIAL NEWS SUMMARY.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury building.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Americans in London irregular with small changes.

Public Service Committee authorizes New York Central to issue $15,000,000 equipment trust at not less than 97.

Bulk of $10,000,000 New York State Canal Improvement four's awarded to New York bankers at 101 plus.

Representative Underwood fears session will go on record as most extravagant of any Congress.

British Foreign Secretary Grey says Anglo-Russian agreement was not intended to impair independence of Persia.

Standard Oil famous private wire system goes out of commission today.

Secretary of State Knox urges Congress to give President sweeping power to exclude goods from European countries discriminating against United States.

Twelve industrials advance .10 per cent; twenty active rails decrease .17 per cent.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Dec. 16, 1911.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $3,525,796.28. For the corresponding day of 1910, $2,855,909.17; for the same day of 1909, $2,163,663.97.

Monday	$3,351,283.22
Tuesday	3,678,369.09
Wednesday	4,335,681.07
Thursday	3,569,655.73
Friday	3,525,796.28
Total	$18,460,785.40
Same time, 1910	15,402,127.96
Same time, 1909	13,085,336.93

Quotations furnished by the Los Angeles Stock Exchange.

OIL STOCKS.

Producers—	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$47.00	$50.00
American Pet. Co. pfd	....	70.00
American Pet. Co. com	29.50	31.00
Associated Oil	43.50	43.87½
Bear Creek O. & M. Co.	....	.75
Brookshire Oil	.50	.90
Cal. Midway Oil Co.	....	.23½
Central	1.96½	....
Columbia	1.10	1.15
Consol. Midway Oil Co.	.02¼	.02½
Continental Oil	....	.27½
Euclid Oil Co.	.25	.37½
Fullerton Oil	....	4.50
Globe	.05	.06
Jade Oil Co.	.11	....
Mascot Oil Co.	....	.95
Mexican Pet. Ltd. pfd	76.00	76.50
Mexican Pet. Ltd. com	40.62½	40.87½
New Pennsyl. Pet. Co.	.42	.55
Olinda Land Co. (Oil)	....	.45
Palmer Oil Co.	.75	....
Penn. Midway Oil Co.	.08	.10
Perseus Oil Co.	....	7.00
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	.69	....
Trader's Oil Co.	73.75	75.50
Union	98.75	99.00
Union Provident Co.	98.25	....
United Oil Co.	.32¼	.35
Western Union	....	110.00
White Star Oil Co.	.16	....
Yellowstone Oil Co.	.02	....
Non-Producers—		
Nev.-Midway Oil Co.	.12	....
Oleum Development Co.	.03⅞	.04⅛

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
All Night & Day Bank	....	$153.00
American Savings Bank	175.00	225.00
Bank of So. California	....	90.00
Cal. Savings Bank	120.00	....
Central Nat'l Bank	208.00	....
Citizens' National	217.00	222.50
Commercial National	147.00	....
Equitable Savings Bank	225.00	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	....	350.00
Federal Bank of L. A.	125.00	....
First National	605.00	....
German-American Savgs.	345.00	....
Globe Savings Bank	127.00	....
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	115.00	....
Merchants' National	675.00	....
Merchants' Bank & Tr. Co.	....	....
National Bank of Cal.	205.00	235.00
National Bank of Com.	108.00	....
Security Savings Bank	297.50	....
The Southern Trust Co.	192.50	....
U. S. National Bank	150.00	175.00

BONDS.

(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co.	83	87
Associated Oil Co.	....	100¼
Calif. Pac. Ry.	100	....
Corona City Water Co.	98	....
Cucamonga Water Co.	97½	....
Edison El. Co., 1st Refg.	99	....
Ed. Elec. Co., old issue	101	....
Home Telephone Co.	86	88
Home Tel. Co.' 1st Refg.	....	81½
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co.	100	....
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtgs.	103½	106
L. A. Pacific Ry. 1st Ref.	99½	....
L. A. & Pasadena El. Ry.	103	....
L. A. Public Market Co.	102½	....
L. A. Railway Co.	107	....
L. A. & Redondo Ry. Co.	....	....
L. A. Traction Co., 6s	103½	104
L. A. Traction Co., 5s	102	109
Mex. Nat'l. Gas Co.	50	60
Mission Trans and R. Co.	98	....
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.	104	....
Pac. Light & Power Co.	93	98
Pac. L. & P. Gtd.	99½	101
Pasadena H. T. and T. Co.	....	75
Pomona & Ont. L. & F. Co.	85	....
Pomona Con. Water Co.	99½	100½
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	20	....
Santa Monica B. H. T. Co.	....	80
S. D. H. T. & T., 1st Mtgs.	60	....
San Diego H. T. Co.	....	65
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	91
Temescal Water Co.	....	100
Union Transportation Co.	90	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	....	70
Whittier H. T. & T. Co.	66	....

INDUSTRIAL AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$100.50	$120.00
Edison Electric pfd.	77.00	78.50
Edison Electric com.	67.50	....
Emergency Hospital	23.00	26.00
Hawaiian Com. & Sug.	40.00	....
Home Telephone pfd.	31.00	32.00
Home Telephone com.	7.50	9.00
Hutchinson S. P. Co.	16.00	....
L. A. Athletic Club	6.25	6.75
L. A. Investment Co.	3.55	....
Mex. Natl. Gas. pfd.	15.00	25.00
Mex. Natl. Gas com.	10.00	....
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	66.00	....
Paauhau S. P. Co.	21.00	25.00
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co.	320.00	....
Pac. Con. Stone Co.	....	.25
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	15.00	17.37½
S. Monica B. H. T. pfd.	3.00	3.50
Title G. and Tr. Co. pfd.	250.00	....
Title I. and Tr. Co. pfd.	176.00	....
Title I. and Tr. Co. com.	176.00	....
Title I. and Tr., Ser. C.	176.00	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co. pfd.	....	....
Union Trust Co.	....	22.00
Whittier H. T. and T. Co.	....	36.00
	....	75.00

SALES—Morning session: 250 Cons. Midway at 2; 50 Mex. Pet. com. at 40.62½; 50 do. at 40.62½; 50 do. at 40.62½; 100 Palmer at 81; 500 Rice Ranch Oil Co. at 70; 500 do. at 71; 10 Union at 98.75; 10 do. at 98.75; 10 do. at 98.75; 10 do. at 98.75; 10 do. at 98.75; 50 L. A. Inv. Co. at 3.63. Off-board: 12 Citizens' National at 217.00; 10 Union at 98.75.

SALES—Afternoon session: 5000 Cons. Midway at 2¼; 1000 do. at 2¼; 50 Mex. P. Ltd. com. at 40.62½; 50 do. at 40.75; 20 do. at 40.75; 500 Rice Ranch at 70; 500 do. at 70; 500 at 70; 500 do. at 70; 500 do. at 70½; 10 Union at 98.75; 10 do. at 98.75; 40 do. at 98.75. Off-board: 7 Citizens' National at 217.00; 1 do. at 217.00.

MINING STOCKS.

CALIFORNIA.

Miscellaneous—	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Hills M. Co.	.01½	....
Consolidated Mines Co.	.01½	.01¾

NEVADA.

Miscellaneous—	Bid.	Asked.
*Goldfield Con. Mines	4.60	5.00
Johnnie M. & M. Co.	.01½	.02½
Searchlight District—		
*Quartette	....	9.00
Searchlight Parallel	....	.01½

*Per thousand shares.

SALES—Afternoon session: 5000 Con. Mines at 1½; 5000 do. at 1½; 5000 do. at 1½; 5000 do. at 1½; 5000 do. at 1⅝.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

The liberal receipts of cranberries the past few days will be in sufficient supply to meet the holiday demand. The arrival of another carload from New Jersey had the effect of stimulating the market to such an extent that the prevailing price on the street yesterday was $12.

There was a marked scarcity of celery on the market, but dealers assert that there will be sufficient stock on the market in time for the holiday trade. At present most of the celery is finding its way on the eastern market and until that trade has been satisfied receipts will be light. The northern celery which is coming in on the street is of excellent quality and it is bringing from $3.40 to $4 a crate.

The bulk of oranges on the market were green and there was a rather indifferent demand from prospective buyers. Several dealers had some fancy packed stock of navels which came from the Hemet district, which sold from $2.50 to $2.75 a box. Lemons were in liberal supply but there was little activity along this line, packed stock selling around $2.75 a box.

Grapes are cleaning up rapidly. On the better grades of storage stock the price has been advanced to $1.75 and $2 a lug box.

For several days receipts of apples have been liberal, due partly to the fact that jobbers do not intend to be caught short-handed around the holidays. There was an increased demand for red apples, which made up the bulk of the arrivals, which were 1295 boxes.

An advance of 1 cent on fresh eggs was noted. Candled selects sold at 41 cents and case-counts at 37 cents a dozen. The market at these figures cleaned up early under the light receipts, eighty-seven cases being reported in. Storage stock continued in good demand at quoted figures.

No butter arrivals were reported in. The market was firm at prices quoted.

A ½-cent advance was noted on several varieties of cheese. Eastern Daisies sold at 19½ cents and Long Horns at 19½ and 20 cents a pound. Arrivals were 464 pounds. Foreign cheese was strong at unchanged prices.

Potato receipts were 2932 sacks. The market was easy on this commodity, dealers having a good supply on hand and moving the stock at full figures.

With no receipts reported in the onion market continued firm. Plenty of stock is held in storage to meet immediate demand, and dealers find that most of the stock coming from storage is in good condition. No signs of sprouting have been shown.

Bean arrivals were liberal—1394 sacks were reported in. One noticeable feature of the market was the decline of $1 a sack on Mexican reds. This variety sold at from $3.75 to $4.

Sweet potato receipts were 262 sacks. No change was made in quotations. The market was reported firm.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Fresh local ranch, candled, selected, 41; local ranch, case count, 37; pullets, 26; eastern storage, 27@28.

BUTTER—Price to trade 2½c above quotations. Creamery extras, 32½ per lb.; creamery firsts, 31; ladle, 25 per lb.; country, 23.

CHEESE—Local anchor, 16; northern fresh, 17½@18; eastern daisies, 19½; eastern twin, 18; Longhorns, 19½@20; singles, 18; cheddars, 18; Oregon daisy, 18@18½; Dom. Swiss block, 18, wheel, 19; imported, 33; Limburger, 17; cream brick, 10; Edam, 8.50; Sierra, 1.10 per box; Neufchatel, 1.00 per box; Camembert, 1.20 per box; Canada cream, 1.00@1.10 per box; Roquefort, 45; German Breakfast, 1.10.

BEANS—Pink, No. 1, 3.75; Lady Washington, No. 1, 4.75; small white, No. 1, 4.75; Limas, No. 1, 6.50; black eyes, 4.50@5.00; lentils, 8.00; Garvanzas, 4.50; Mexican Reds, 3.75@4.00; Bayous, 4.50@5.00.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, 11@11½; Citron, fancy, 16; orange and lemon peel, 14@16; currants, imp. fancy, bulk, recleaned, 10; fancy 1-lb., 9@11; dates, packages, imported, Fards, fancy, 60s, 10½@11; Fards, fancy, 9-12s, 11@12½; Golden, 60s, 8½@9; packages, 9½@11. Figs, black and white, 25s, 1.50@1.75; figs, white, 6 oz. pkgs., 50s, 1.70@1.75; 12 oz., 12s, 90; 16 oz., 10s, 95; 16 oz. cartons, 12s, 1.00; imported, 15@17. Nectarines, per lb., 12. Peaches, 11@12½. Prunes, 30-40, 14; 40-50, 13; 20-30, 20; 60-70, 10@11; 70-80, 9@10; 80-90, 8@9; 90-100, 7½@8; (when packed in 50-lb. boxes, 1½c extra.) Apricots, 16@17. Pears, 12@13. Plums, 10.

RAISINS—Sultanas, bleached, 8@10; unbleached, 7@7½; seeded, 9 for 16-oz. pkg., 7 for 12-oz. pkgs. London layers, 2-crown, 1.50; 3-crown, 1.75; 4-crown, 2.00; 5-crown, 2.25; 6-crown, 2.50; loose Muscatels, 2-crown, 6; 3-crown, 6½; 4-crown, 7.

NUTS—New almonds, fancy, IXL, 18½@22; almonds, fancy, paper shells, 18; Brazil, 17@18; filberts, large, new crop, 15; pecans, large, 18; pine nuts, 19; peanuts, "Sun," roasted, 9; peanuts, fancy roasted, 7@8; California raw, 5@5½; California roasted, 7; eastern, 7@7½; Japan, 6@6½; Rice corn, 6.25@6.50; cocoanuts, 90 per doz.; popcorn, local, 4.75@5.00; eastern, 5.00. Manchurian, 13½; walnuts, No. 1, Assn., 14@15; chestnuts, 11; Italian chestnuts, 11@12; budded walnuts, 18.

HONEY—Comb, fancy, water white, 1-lb. frames, 16@17; light amber, 13@14; white, 14½@15; extracted, light amber, 7½; water white, 8½; white, 8; beeswax, 30 per lb.

CITRUS FRUITS—New navels, 2.50@3.50; lemons, 2.75@3.00; unpacked stock, 2.00@2.50; seedling grapefruit, 3.00@3.25; limes, 1.25 per 100.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, Bellfleurs, 4-tier, 1.25@1.35; 4½-tier, 1.10@1.15; Jonathans, 4-tier, 2.25@2.35; Spitzenbergers, 4-tier, 1.50; 4½-tier, 1.10; crabapples, 1.25; Greenings, 2.00; Rome Beauty, 2.25@2.35; Pearmains 4-tier, 1.25; Colorado, Ganoes, 1.85; Smith Ciders, 1.35; Missouri Pippins, 4-tier, 1.35; W. W. Pearmains, 4-tier, 1.25; bananas, 4½ per lb.; pineapples, 10; pears, Bartletts, 7½ cents per lb.; cantaloupes, Xmas, 2.25@2.50 a crate; grapes, Cornichons, 1.75@2.00 a lug box; Muscats, 1.75@2.00 a lug box; Tokay grapes, 1.75@2.00 a lug box. Casabas, 2.25@2.50 a crate; pomegranates, 75@1.25 a lug box; persimmons, 1.25@1.75 a box; alligator pears, 5.00 doz.

BERRIES—Strawberries, 12@15 per basket; raspberries, 10@12; blackberries, 12½; cranberries, 13.00.

ONIONS AND CHILI—Strings, 13; loose, 12; Mexican black, 21; chiltepines, 75; Japan, 16; green chili, 7@8. Onions—Yellow Danvers, 1.75; Australian Brown, 1.75; White Wax onions, 1.60@1.75; garlic, 6@8 per lb.

POTATOES—Sweet yellow, 2.25 a cwt.; Highlands, 1.60@1.85; Salinas, 2.00@2.10; Lompocs, 2.00@2.10; Oregon, 2.10@2.25; Oregon Early Wonders, 2.40@2.50.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 40 doz; carrots, 1.00 a sack; parsley, 25@30 per doz.; turnips, 1.25 a sack; kohlrabi, 40 per doz.; peas, 5@7; beans, Lima, 7@8 per lb.; wax beans, 7@8 per lb.; green beans, 9@10; watercress, 35@40 per doz.; spinach, 15@20; cabbage, 85@90 per sack; red cabbage, 3.00@3.50 a cwt.; green onions, 15@20 per doz.; leeks, 35@40 per doz.; lettuce, common, 90@1.10 per crate; parsnips, 65 per doz., celery, new, 3.50@4.00 per crate; tomatoes, 75@85 per lug box; hothouse mushrooms, 60@1.00 per lb.; artichokes, northern, 90@1.10 per doz.; red chili peppers, 15@16 per lb.; green chilis, 4@6; celery root, 5 per lb.; rhubarb, winter crimson, 1.10; summer squash, local, 1.00 box; cucumbers, 1.00@1.25 per lug box; green corn, 50@60 per lug box; bell peppers, 9@10; eggplant, 6@7; cauliflower, 1.25@1.50 a crate; horseradish, 13½; Brussels sprouts, 8@10.

POULTRY—Dealers buy from the producer, live weight. Old roosters, 8; stags, 8; hens, 12@15; squab pigeons, 1.75 per doz.; fryers, 15; broilers, 22; roasters, 15; turkeys, 18@20; ducks, 14; geese, 14. Wholesaler sells to retailer, live weight: Hens, 15@19; fryers, 18; broilers, 25; squabs, 2.00; old roosters, 11; turkeys, 21@23; geese, 17; ducks, 17; roasters, 18. Dressed weight averages from 3c to 5c higher than live weight.

BACON—Winchester, 8-10-lb. bacon, 19¼; Winchester, 6-8-lb. bacon, 19¾; Empire, 20¼; Premium, 26; Atlas bacon, 17½; Sunlight bacon, 20¼; Rex breakfast bacon, 8-10 avg., 19¼; Rex Breakfast bacon, 12 avg., 18¾; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 19¾; Colonial, 10-12, 17⅝; 12-14, 17⅛; Hauser's Pride bacon, 6-8 avg., 23; Angelus bacon, 6-8 avg., 19; Angelus bacon, 8-10 avg., 18; Angelus bacon, 10-12 avg., 16; bacon strips, 13½; bacon backs, 16½; smoked beef tongues, 26; dried beef insides, 24¼; dried beef knuckles, 22¾; boiled beef tongues, 31; boiled and smoked beef tongues, 33.

DRY SALTED MEATS—Dry salt bellies, 12-14 avg., 14¾; dry salt bellies, 14-20 avg., 14¾; dry salt fat backs, 14-20, 12¾; loin backs, 13¾; short clear, square cut, 12¾.

Meals—Per 100 lbs.	5-lb. S'ks.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50-lb. S'ks.
Capitol flour	....	3.30	....	....
Graham flour	3.20	3.09	2.95	2.90
Buckwheat flour	4.75	4.55	4.50	4.45
Buckwheat flour, pure	5.20	5.00	4.95	4.90
Rye flour or meal	3.70	3.50	3.45	3.40
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	3.20	3.00	2.95	2.90
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40
Oatmeal, ground	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40
Hominy, large or small	4.40	4.20	4.15	4.10
Cracked wheat	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50
Entire wheat flour	3.30	3.10	3.05	3.00
Pearl barley	6.10	5.90	5.85	5.80
Split peas, yellow	6.70	6.50	6.45	6.40
Split peas, green	8.20	8.00	7.95	7.90
Farina	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50
Nutrina Germ	4.30	4.10	4.05	4.00

GRAIN AND MEALS—Per 100 lbs. Alfalfa meals, 1.25; bone granulated, 2.05; bone meal, 2.05; blood meal, 3.35; XXXX beef scraps, 3.10; barley, rolled, 2.10; charcoal, 2.10; XXXX chick feed, 2.90; do., bale of 20 five-pound bags, 3.30; do., bale of 10-lb. bags, 3.10; corn, eastern, mixed, 1.70; corn, eastern white, 1.95; corn, small yellow, 1.95; feed meals, 2.05; Kaffir corn, 1.80; Egyptian corn, 1.80; Yellow Dent, 1.95; corn, cracked, 2.00; XXXX Dry Mash (a superior egg food,) per 90-lb sack, 2.00; grit, granite, 60; millet, 3.75; oilcake meal, 2.85; red feed oats, 3.00; white feed oats, 1.95; rolled oats, 2.00; California clam shell, 50; do., white clam, 60; do., hard eastern oyster, 1.15; XXXX Special Dry Scratch Feed, 1.90; bran, 1.60; shorts, 1.85; No. 1 wheat, 1.75; wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 1.80; wheat, cracked, 100-lb. sacks, 1.90; middlings, 1.85; Milo maize, 1.95.

HAY—(Baled.) Following are jobbing prices for hay. Producers receive 1.00 to 2.00 less than these prices:

Tame oat hay	$18.00	$20.00
Alfalfa hay	14.00	16.00
Barley hay	15.00	18.00
Wheat hay	15.00	17.00

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls., add 10c; ¼-bbls., 25c; and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are net cash less 25c cwt., 15 days. Beet gran., 6.30; Standard cane, 6.50; Standard berry, 6.50; Cube A, crushed or fine crushed, 6.85; Candy gran., 6.60; powdered, 6.60; Confectioners' A, 6.50; Magnolia A, 6.10; Extra C or B, 6.00; Golden C, 5.90; D, 5.80, Bowles 6x powdered, 50-lb. boxes, 8.80; Bowles 6x powdered, ½-bbls., 7.95; Bowles 6x powdered, bbls., 7.90; Bowles Bros. Bar, bbls., 8.40.

FLOUR—Per bbl., Capitol, made of No. 1 hard and California wheat blended, 5.60. Aurora, 4.80; Mikado, 4.40; Trophy, 4.20; No. 1 hard bakers', made of hard wheat only, 6.20; Capitol Bakers' Extra Hard and Cal. Wheat blended, 5.40; Our Giant (bakers',) 5.10; Eclipse, 4.80; XXXX Standard blended, 5.60; Purity blended, 4.80; Our Pride, blended, 4.60. (Flour in ½ sacks, 20c per bbl. higher.) Globe, 6.40; A1, 5.60; Silver Star, 4.80; XXX, 4.00; Sperry, 5.60; Drifted Snow, 5.60; Port Costa, 5.60; Golden Monarch, 4.80; La Pina, 4.80; Blue Bird, 4.00; Semolino, 5.90; Golden Rod, 5.70; Sperry's Ks, 5.70; Big Loaf, 5.40; Angelus Bakers', 5.20; Bell Brand, 5.10; Bakers' pastry, 4.80.

Pigs feet, kits	$1.35
Pigs feet, halves	5.85
Pigs feet, quarters	2.85
Pigs feet, barrels	14.00
Honey comb, tripe, kits	1.25
Honey comb tripe, halves	5.35
Honey comb tripe, quarters	2.75
Pig pork, quarters	7.25
Pig pork, halves	14.50
Pig pork, barrels	27.50
Lamb's tongue, kits	3.50
Lamb's tongue, quarters	9.25
Corned beef, plate	11.50 bbl., 6.00 ½ bbl.
Corned beef, rump	10.00 bbl., 5.50 ½ bbl.
Corned beef, brisket	14.24 bbl., 7.50 ½ bbl.

LARD—Tierces, Diamond C lard, 14; Rex pure lard, 13; Red Star lard, 11¾; Angelus lard, 1; Silver Leaf, 13; Premium lard, 14; Armour's Simon pure lard, 14; Helmet, 12¾; Shield, 11¾; White Label, 9¾; White Ribbon Comp., 8¼; Suetene, 11¼; Diamond C Shortening, 11¼; Violet lard compound, 7¼; Jewel brand compound, 8½; Cottosuet, yellow, 9¼; Cottosuet white 10; Armour's Vegetolene, 9; Peanant Compound, 7¼. (The above quotations are for tierces, add ⅛c for tubs or single cans; ¼c for large pails, ⅜c for medium pails, and 1 cent for small pails.) Cottolene, 60-lb. case, 30; small, 15; medium or 6 large, 7.35; 5-case lots, 7.25; 10-case lots, 7.20; 25-case lots, 7.10; Baker's Cottolene, ½ bbls., lb., 10⅝.

HAMS—Per lb., Diamond C hams, 14-15, 19¼; Diamond C skinned hams, 19¾; Rex hams, 14-15, 18¼; Rex skinned hams, 18¾; Pioneer hams, 14-16, 17¾; smoked picnic hams, 12; boiled hams, boneless, 26¼; Angelus hams, 15¼; Angelus skinned hams, 17; boiled hams, 23; Hauser's Pride, 16¼; Hauser's skinned hams, 18½; boiled hams, 26; Empire skinned hams, 18¾; Empire hams, 18¼; Empire picnic hams, 12½; Premium skinned hams, 20¼; Premium hams, 10-12, 19¾; 12-16, 19¾; Atlas hams, 12-18, 17½; Premium boiled hams, 26¼; Armour's Star hams, 10-12, 19½; 12-14, 19¼; 14-16, 19¼; skinned, 14-18, 19¾; boiled hams, 26; Armour's Shield hams, 10-12, 18¼; 12-14, 14-16, 18¼; Shield skinned, 14-18, 18¾; picnics, 6-8, 11¾; Armour's Colonial hams, 10-12, 17¾; 12-16, 17¾.

LIVE STOCK—Based on delivered weights in Los Angeles (furnished by Hauser Packing Co.:) Steers, 5⅝; heifers, 5; cows, 2½@4; calves, 5½@6½; small calves, 7; milk calves, 7½; wethers, 3.50 a head; ewes, 3.25; lambs, 3.25; hogs, 150-200 lbs., 6¾@7; hogs, 200-300, 6@6¼.

BEEF—Steers, per lb., net, No. 1, 10; heifers, 9¾; steers, hind quarters, 12; steers, fore quarters, 8; heifers, hind quarters, 11; fore quarters, 8; short loins, 20; loin butts, 13; loin, No. 1, 17; ribs, No. 1, 12; loins, No. 2, 14; ribs, 11; full chucks, 7¾; short chucks, 8; triangles, 7½; plates, 6; short rounds and rumps, 10; steer rounds, butt on, 10½; tenderloins, fresh, 25; do., frozen, 18; shoulder clods, 12; rolls, 10; boned trimmings, 7½; shanks, 4; flank steaks, 10; sweetbreads, 25; fresh tongues, 12; suet, 8; cod fat, 7; livers, 7; ox tails, each 5; brains, each, 10; hearts, 6; clean tripe, each, 20; feet, each, 7½; heads, 5 per lb.; kidneys, each 5; cooked tripe, each, 2.50.

MUTTON—Per lb. net, lambs, plain, 11½; lambs, caul, 11; yearlings, 10; wethers, 9; ewes, 8½; racks, 12½; legs, 12; loins, 10½; Angelus, each, 3; plucks, each, 3; heads, skinned, each, 10; brains, 2; liver, hearts, 30.

PORK—Per lb. net, dressed hogs, head on, 11; do., head off, 12; trimmed hogs, 13; loins, local, frozen, 15; legs, 15; shoulders, 10¼; picnics, 10; butts, 11; bellies, 15; trimmings, 10; tenderloins, 30; spare ribs, fresh, 10; do., frozen, 7; head, 7; back fat, 12; tails, 6; neck bones, 5; tongues, 10; pigs feet, each, 3½; livers, 3; hearts, each, 3½; plucks, each, 7; kidneys, each, 1¼.

SAUSAGE—Per lb. net, Diamond "C" link, 15; Diamond "C" bulk, 15; fresh pork links, 11½; fresh pork, bulk, 13; Spanish style pork, 11½; sour head cheese, 10-lb. pails, 10; bologna style, 9; bologna style, paraffined sacks, 9; Rex Frankfurt style, 9; Coney Island style Frankfurt, 9; minced, in bladders, 12; Douglas style in sacks, —; tongue loaf (new,) 30; Salami (Italian,) 29@30; German, 21; Cervelet, 18.

OIL LIST.

W. W. oil, iron bbls., drums and tank wagon	$.08
Pearl oil, cases, 5s	.15
Astral oil, cases, 2-5s	.15
Elaine oil, cases, 2-5s	.18
Eocene oil, cases, 2-5s	.18
V. M. & P. naphtha, iron bbls., drums and tank wagons	.13½
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2-5s	.20½
Red Crown gasoline, iron bbls., drums and tank wagons	.16
Red Crown gasoline, cases, 2-5s	.22
86 per cent. gasoline, in bbls.	.28
88 per cent. gasoline, in cases	.35½
Engine distillate, iron bbls., drums and tank wagons	.07½
Engine distillate, cases, 2-5s	.15
Turpentine, in cases	.70
Turpentine, 10-case lots	.69
Turpentine, iron bbls. (50-gal.)	.63
Turpentine, iron bbls. (100-gal.)	.62
Linseed oil, raw, in 1 to 4-lb. bbls.	.76
Linseed oil, boiled, in 1 to 4-lb. bbls.	.77
Linseed oil, cases, 5c per gal. higher.	
Linseed oil, in 5 bbls. and over, raw	.74
Linseed oil, in 5 bbls. and over, boiled	.75
Aroturpa, cases, 2-5s	.38
Aroturpa, 10-case lots	.28
Aroturpa, in iron bbls., 50-gal.	.24
Aroturpa, in iron bbls. 100 gal.	.21

Oranges and Lemons.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Nine cars navels, four lemons sold. Market firm on good fruit, both oranges and lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Birchbark	
Lily, Merryman F. L. & W. Co.	$3.10
Pioneer Special, Pioneer F. Co.	3.40
Pioneer Special	3.55
Mariposa, O'Neill F. Co.	3.35
Pocahontas, T. C. C. Exchange	3.35
Tulip, T. C. C. Exchange	3.35
Forgetmenot, T. C. Exchange	3.45
Borden & Miffin, fy	2.50
Borden & Miffin, ch	3.35
	3.15

NAVELS—HALVES.

Homer	$1.65

LEMONS.

Independent, fy	
Independent, ch	$3.35
Squirrel	2.85
Kaweah Maid	2.95
Basket	2.50
Clown	2.35
Naralimo	3.35
Circus	3.05
	2.50

Boston Market.

BOSTON, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Four cars sold. Raining. Market unchanged.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Graigynes, Cen. Cal., Lindsay	$3.65
Mars, E. Peycke Co.	3.30
Golden State, Cen. Cal., L. C.	3.55

LEMONS.

Pet, S. A. Exchange	$2.25
Grayhound, S. A. Exchange	2.75

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Four cars sold. Market strong on navels owing to light arrivals. Lower on lemons. Raining.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Woodpecker, Spring Valley Ranch	$2.80
Tulip, T. C. C., Porterville	3.15
Sentinel, Cen. Cal., Lindsay	3.05

LEMONS.

Buckeye, Cen. Cal., Lemon Cove	$2.35

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cool, raining. One car lemons and eight cars Floridas sold. Floridas sold from $2.30 to $2.65 per box. Market steady on lemons, advancing on Floridas.

LEMONS.

	Avge.
Lotengo, Sparr F. Co.	$2.80
Del Oro, Sparr F. Co.	1.25
Crackshot, Sparr F. Co.	2.25

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cloudy, cool. Market steady on navels, weak on lemons. Eight cars sold.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Table Mountain, B. C., Palermo	$2.85
Searchlight, S. S., Orange	2.50
Gold of Ophir, B. C., Palermo	2.55
Golden Orchard, fy, Ind. F. Co.	2.55
Gold of Ophir, B. C., Palermo	2.80
Fair Oaks, Fair Oaks F. Co.	2.95
Diamond Mtn., fy, Randolph	2.90

LEMONS.

Pet, S. A. Exchange	2.95

Greyhound, S. A. Exchange	2.20
La Crona, Q. C., Corona	2.10
Family, Q. C., Corona	2.05
Minerva, Q. C., Corona	2.00
Arab, S. A. Exchange	2.35
Pup, S. A. Exchange	1.70
Crybaby, Q. C., Corona	1.75
Justrite, Q. C., Corona	1.65

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two cars navels, two cars lemons sold; also ten cars Floridas. Oranges sold $2.50 to $3.30; average, $2.65. Grapefruit, $2.70 to $4.75, average, $3.75. Market strong.

LEMONS.

Moose, O. K. Exchange	$2.85
Red Ensign, O. K. Exchange	2.75
White Ensign, O. K. Exchange	2.50
Prong Horn, O. K. Exchange	2.55
Buck, O. K. Exchange	2.50
Rossmoyne, S. T., Rossmoyne	2.60

NAVELS.

Mars, E. Peycke Co.	$2.75
Forgetmenot, T. C. C., Porterville	2.80

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars navels, one car lemons sold. Market weak on small sizes lemons, strong on navels. Cloudy.

LEMONS.

	Avge.
Squirrel, A. H., Frenda	$2.95
Palm Tree, A. H., Frenda	1.20
Swan, A. H. Frenda	3.25
Commercial, A. H. Frenda	1.60

NAVELS.

Sentinel, Cen. Cal., Lindsay	$3.30
Paldwin, Cen. Cal., Lemon Cove	3.50
Solano, Stewart F. Co.	3.40
Sentinel, Cen. Cal., Lindsay	3.00
Forest Bay, Cen. Cal.	3.55
Gobbler, Stewart F. Co.	3.10

Los Angeles Market.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 15.—Six cars navels, one car lemons sold.

	Avge.
Aquila, fy, or, navels, Glendora, Dec. 15, Kansas City	$1.82½
Blue Moon, sd, navels, Glendora, Dec. 15, Kansas City	1.57½
Nacional, fy, or, navels, Orange, Dec. 14, Kansas City	1.42½
Dulce, sd, navels, Orange, Dec. 14, Kansas City	1.17½
Woodland, fy, or, navels, Orange, Dec. 15, not shipped	1.40
Silver Star, sd, navels, Orange, Dec. 15, not shipped	1.15
Nacional, fy, or, navels, Orange, Dec. 15, not shipped	1.42½
Dulce, sd, navels, Orange, Dec. 15, not shipped	1.17½
Vaquerita, fy, or, San Fernando, Dec. 15, not shipped	1.60
Evening Star, sd, navels, San Fernando, Dec. 15, not shipped	1.35
Vaquerita, or, Wn. navels, San Fernando, Dec 13, El Paso	1.45
Evening Star, sd, San Fernando, Dec. 13, El Paso	1.20
Naralimo, ex, lemons, Pedley	1.85
Circus, ch, lemons, Pedley	1.60
Del Oro, sd, lemons, Pedley	1.35

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

	Oranges.	Lemons.	Total.
Thursday, Dec. 14	66	9	75
Total to date this season	676	632	1308

METAL MARKETS

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Standard Copper, steady; Lake, 13⅞@14⅛; Electrolytic, 13¾@14; casting, 13½@13¾.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Lead, quiet; New York, 4.40@4.50; East St. Louis, 4.30@4.37½.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Bar silver, 55⅜.

LOS ANGELES EXCHANGE.

No Price Changes in the Higher-priced Oil Shares, but the Market Is Rather Active.

While there were no price changes in the higher-priced oil shares, the trading yesterday on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange was fairly active. Mexican petroleum common held up to 40.62½, and Union was firm at 98.75. Rice Ranch was active and sold around 70 and Consolidated Midway made a slight gain, closing above 2 cents.

Fifty shares of Los Angeles Investment sold at 3.63 and eight shares of Citizens' National Bank sold at 217. There was some activity in the mining list.

SAN FRANCISCO EXCHANGE.

Entire List of Southern Nevada Stocks Moves Within Very Narrow Limits—From the Mines.

[Special Service to The Times by B. F. Taylor, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—The entire list of southern Nevada stocks moved today within very narrow limits. In the Comstock list Mexican was the feature, selling up to 445, closing 442½ bid, up 7½. Sierra dropped back 3, Union is up 2½. Beginning tomorrow the Silver Pick Consolidated will be traded in, in place of the present Silver Pick stock.

The directors of the Mineral Hill Consolidated have decided to exchange St. Paul and Minneapolis for Mineral Hill Consolidated at once. St. Paul is exchangeable two shares of the old for one of the new, and Minneapolis four of the old for one of the new.

Following are the closing bid and asked prices.

Goldfield District—	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Atlanta	16	17	Jim Butler	29	30
Booth	6	7	Midway	22	—
Blue Bull	5	7	McNamara	22	—
Col. Mtn.	4	5	Montana	—	77
Comb. F.	14	15	Tono. of N.	690	—
Daisy	12	15	Tono. Ex.	115	—
Florence	65	70	W. End	76	—
Gifd. Cons.	—	497½	N. Star	27	—
Blue Bell	1	3	Rescue	20	—
Gifd. Kew.	7	8	Bullfrog		
Great Bend	4	5	District—		
Jumbo Ex.	22	23	Bonnie C.	2	—
Lone Star	4	5	May. Cons.	2	—
Oro	4	5	Tramp C.	—	2
Red Hills	1	3	Other		
S. Kendall	—	4	Districts—		
St. Ives	—	35	Nev. Hills	230	—
Silver Pick	6	7	P. S. Peak	122½	—
Yellow T.	3	—	Round Mtn.	58	—
C. O. D.	14	15	Raw. Coal	2	—
Gifd. Mer.	19	—	Fairview E.	40	—
Dia. B. B.	8	10	Dexter	4	—
Vernal	16	—	E. Nest	—	4
Tonopah District—			M. B. Four.	21	—
Mizpah Ex.	70	—	Mustang	4	—
Belmont	820	850	Man. Con.	10	—
			Min. Hills	8	9

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING. STOCK AND BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive to The Times.] The closing quotations and sales on the Stock and Bond Exchange were as follows:

Miscellaneous Bonds—	Bid.	Asked.
City Electric Co. 5s.	....	90¾
L. A. P. Ry. 1st C. M. 5s.	103¾	....
Market Street Cable 6s.	100¼	100¾
Northern Electric Co. 5s.	92½	....
Oakland Traction Con. 5s.	97¼	....
Oakland Water Co. Gtd. 5s.	91	....
Omnibus Cable Ry. 6s.	103	....
Pacific Light & P. Co. 5s.	94½	95
People's Water Co. 5s.	72¾	....
Powell St. Ry. 6s.	109	....
S. V. Water Co. G. M. 4s.	....	94
U. R. R. of S. F. 4s.	68½	....
Water Stocks—		
People's Water Co. pfd.	47	50
Spring Valley Water Co.	60⅝	61
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
N. Cal. Power Co. Con.	55	56
Oro Water, L. & P. Co.	86	....
Bank Stocks—		
American National Bank	130	....
Powder Stocks—		
Giant Consolidated Co.	85¼	86
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Com'l & Sugar	39	40
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	19½	....
Paauhau S. P. Co.	23	....
Union Sugar Co.	34¾	35
Oil Stocks—		
Associated Oil Co.	43½	44
Sterling Oil & Dev. Co.	130	....
Union Oil Co. of Cal.	98	....
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Pacific Tel. & Tel. pfd.	96½	....

SALES—Morning session: 1 Northern Electric 5s at 92½; 3 People's 5s at 72¾; 2 S. J. 5s at 97½; 60 Hutchinson Sugar at 19½; 39 Oro Water at 86; 25 Spring Valley Water at 61; 39 do. at 60¾; 75 do. at 60¾.

SALES—Afternoon session: 1 Northern Electric 5s at 92½; 1 People's Water at 72½; 14 L. A. Pacific 1st at 104; 2 U. R. R. at 68⅝; 50 Spring Valley Water at 60⅝; 10 do. at 60¾; 25 do. at 60¾; 200 do. at 61, seller 30; 200 Hutchinson at 19½; 50 Paauhau at 23¼; 50 Union Sugar at 35; 10 Giant at 86.

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS. SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing bid and asked prices:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ass'd Oil	43	....	Palmer	....	85
Caribou	112½	....	Peerless	....	500
Claremont	85	90	Pinal	300	....
C. Mohawk	40	43	Premier	40	50
Coal. Nat.	14	....	Republic	—	35
Con. Mid.	1	....	Pyramid	—	27
Enos	....	2	Record	300	....
Four	12	17	Sovereign	—	750
Ill. Crude	4	....	S. W. & B.	....	16
Mar. Nat.	....	22	Sterling	16	20
McKit.	9	....	Turner	125	135
Monte C.	....	....	United Oil	97½	115
Mid. Prem.	29	140	W. K. Oil	30	37
New Penn.	....	50	Yellowstone	260	....
Pac. States.	19	20		3	....

SALES—Morning session: 100 Empire at 1¼; 100 Republic at 35; 300 Palmer at 80.

SALES—Afternoon session: 100 Palmer Union at 42; 100 Republic at 35.

Comstock Quotations.

[Special Service to The Times by B. F. Taylor, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Following were quotations in the leading Comstock mining stocks today:

Stocks—	Open Bid.	Open Asked.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
Ophir	1.70	....	1.67½	1.72½
Mexican	4.37½	4.40	4.42½	4.45
Gould & Curry	....	.08	.06	.08
Con. Virginia	.78	....	.76	.80
Savage	.30	.31	.33	.34
Hale & Norcross	.15	....	.15	....
Yellow Jacket	....	....	....	....
Belcher	.30	....	.50	....
Confidence	....	....	....	....
Sierra Nevada	.36	.37	.36	.37
Exchequer	....	....	....	....
Union	....	....	....	.08
Chollar	1.32½	....	.35	1.37½
Potosi	....	.08	.06	.08
	....	.14	....	.10

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS. FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 1.25; common, 1.00.

Berries—Strawberries, 5.00@6.00; cranberries, 11.00@12.00.

Grapes—Ordinary, 50@35.

Pears—Common, 75; fancy, 1.25.

Oranges—Navels, 1.75@2.50.

Mexican Limes—3.50@4.50.

Lemons—Common California, 1.25; fancy, 2.75.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, 75@1.50; pineapples, 2.00@3.00.

Flour—Family extras, 5.40@5.80; bakers extras, 5.40@5.80; Oregon and Washington, 4.40@4.60.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.47½@1.52½.

Barley—Feed, 1.75; brewing, 1.95@2.00.

Oats—Red, 1.75@1.95; white, 1.75@1.85; black, 1.65@1.90.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 32.00@34.00; rolled barley, 37.00@38.50; oat groats, 4.50; rolled oats, 35.50@38.50.

Hay—Wheat, 17.00@22.00; wheat and oat, 17.00@20.00; oat, wild, 12.00@15.00; oat, tame, 16.00@18.50; alfalfa, 11.00@15.50; straw, 35@75.

Receipts—Flour, 8146; wheat, 1430; barley, 2785; beans, 1925; corn, 75; potatoes, 4875; onions, 95; bran, 40; middlings, 1.45; hay, 553; hops, 2; hides, 1415; wine, 58,500.

Beans—Pink, 2.75@3.00; lima, 6.00@6.10; small white, 4.00@4.10; large white, 4.00@4.10.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, nominal; River Burbanks, 1.15@1.20; Salinas Burbanks, 1.60@1.90; Merced Sweets, 1.60@1.75.

Onions—Fancy, 1.30; common, 1.00.

Various—Green peas, 4@7; string beans, 4@9; egg plant, 5@6; green peppers, 5@6; tomatoes, 75@1.25; summer squash, 75@1.25; garlic, 3@3½; cucumbers, 50@60.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 32; seconds, 28½; fancy dairy, 27½.

Cheese—New, 14½@15½; Young America, 15½@16½.

G. S.—Ranch, 36; store, 28.

Poultry—Live turkeys, nominal; dressed turkeys, 24@25; roosters, old, 4.00@4.50; roosters, young, 6.00@9.00; broilers, small, 3.00@3.75; broilers, large, 4.00@4.50; fryers, 5.00@5.50; hens, 3.50@9.00; ducks, old, 4.00@5.00; ducks, young, 7.00@9.00; geese, 2.00@3.00; pigeons, old, 1.50@1.75; pigeons, young, 2.00@2.50.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, steady; no trading; cash, 1.47½@1.52½. Barley, steady; December, 1.70 bid, 1.72 asked; May, 1.81; cash, 1.75. Corn, steady; Western States, yellow, 1.55. Afternoon session: Wheat, steady; no trading. Barley, steady; December, 1.72½ bid; 1.73 asked; May, 1.85.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Silver bars, 55⅜; Mexican dollars, 45; drafts, sight, par; drafts, telegraph, 2.

San Francisco Dairy Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Butter, fancy creamery, 32; seconds, 28½; fancy dairy, 27½. Eggs, steady; store, 28; fancy ranch, 36. Cheese, new, 14½@15½; Young Americas, 15½@16½.

General Eastern.

WHEAT ADVANCES ON SPECULATION.

BUYING FOR EUROPE AND ARGENTINE ACCOUNT.

Close Is Firm at from a Cent and a Quarter to a Cent and Five-eighths Higher Than the Night Before—Pork and Ribs End the Day With a Net Gain.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Speculative buying of futures here for both European and Argentine account made wheat today advance with accelerating speed. The close was firm, 1¼@1⅝ to 1½ to 1⅝ higher than last night. Other leading staples, too, all scored a net gain—corn, ⅛ to ⅝@¾; oats, ¼ to ⅜, and hog products, 2½ to 5@7½. May wheat ranged from 97⅝@97¾ to 99, with last sales showing a gain of 1½@1⅝ net. May corn fluctuated from 63⅝ to 64⅛, closing firm ⅝ up at 64@64⅛. Cash grades were in rather meager supply. No. 2 yellow was quoted at 70@71 for car lots. May oats ranged from 48⅛ to 48¾, with the close ⅛ higher at 48⅝@48¾. Pork and ribs ended the day with a net gain of 2½ to 5, and lard up 5 to 10.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Barely steady; No. 2 rye, 92½@93; feed or mixing barley, 75@1.00; fair to choice malting, 1.10@1.22; Timothy seed, 12.50@15.00; clover, 13.50@20.25; mess pork, per barrel, 15.00@15.25; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.10; short ribs, sides (loose,) 7.77½.

Grain Statistics.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 286,000 bushels. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreet's, were equal to $2,158,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 764,000 bushels, compared with 846,000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 40 cars; corn, 256 cars, oats, 157 cars, hogs, 15,000 head.

Chicago Grain Market.

[Special Service to The Times by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members N. Y. Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Following is range of quotations today:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
December	92¾	94¾	92⅝	94½
May	97⅝@97¾	99	97⅝	99
July	94½@94⅜	95⅜	94	95¼
Corn—				
December	62⅝	62⅞	62	62½
May	63⅝@63¾	64⅛	63⅝	64
July	63½	64	63¼	64
Oats—				
December	47½	47⅞	46½	47
May	48⅛@48½	48⅞	48⅛	48⅝
July	45⅛	45⅜	45⅛	45⅜
Pork—				
January	15.50	15.70	15.55	15.50
May	16.05	16.15	15.90	16.00
July	16.20	16.20	16.07	16.12
Lard—				
December	9.05	9.07	9.05	9.07
January	9.05	9.15	9.02	9.15
May	9.30	9.40	9.30	9.35
July	9.45	9.50	9.45	9.45
Ribs—				
January	8.20	....	....	8.22
May	8.50	8.57	8.47	8.52
July	8.57	8.57	8.52	8.55

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Cattle, receipts estimated at 2500; market, steady; beeves, 4.55@9.50; Texas steers, 4.10@5.75; western steers, 4.50@6.60; stockers and feeders, 3.25@5.80; cows and heifers, 1.90@5.75; calves, 5.50@8.00. Hogs, receipts estimated at 26,000; market, dull, steady; light, 5.60@6.15; mixed, 5.85@6.30; heavy, 5.95@6.35; rough, 5.95@6.10; good to choice heavy, 6.10@6.35; pigs, 4.25@5.70; bulk of sales, 6.00@6.25. Sheep, receipts estimated at 11,000; market, weak; native, 2.50@4.10; western, 2.75@4.10; yearlings, 4.25@5.50; lambs, native, 4.25@6.10; western, 4.25@6.10.

Chicago Dairy Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Butter, steady; creameries, 24@33; dairies, 23@31. Eggs, steady; receipts, 1350 cases; at mark, cases included, 20@28; firsts, 25@27; prime firsts, 28@30. Cheese, steady; daisies, 16¼@16½; twins, 15¼@15½; Young Americas, 15¾@16; long horns, 15¾@16.

Chicago Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Close: Wheat, December, 94½; May, 99; July, 95¼. Corn, December, 62½; May, 64@64⅛; July, 64. Oats, December, 47; May, 48⅝@48¾; July, 45⅜@45⅜. Pork, January, 15.55; May, 16.00; July, 16.12½. Lard, January, 9.10; May, 9.65; July, 9.45. Ribs, May, 8.52½; July, 8.52½. Rye, No. 2, 92½@93. Barley, 75@1.24. Timothy, 12.50@15.00. Clover, 13.50@20.25.

New York Coffee Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Local bulls claimed the Havre market had been depressed by European bears in order to break Santos and that the firm offers from Santos this morning were if anything a shade higher than yesterday, but notwithstanding the reported firmness of primary markets offering here were no more than absorbed and prices held to within a point or two of the opening figures during the early afternoon.

	Close Bid.	Close Ask.		Close Bid.	Close Ask.
December	13.74	14.75	July	13.01	13.02
January	13.40	13.43	August	13.01	13.02
March	13.10	13.11	September	13.00	13.01
May	13.01	13.02	October	12.99	13.01

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, strong; December, closed 97¾; May, closed 1.03⅛. Hides, firm. Petroleum, steady. Wool, quiet. Raw sugar, quiet; Muscovado, steady; 89 test, 4.37; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.87; molasses sugar, 89 test, 4.12. Refined, quiet.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON (Mass.) Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The Commercial Bulletin will say of the wool market tomorrow: There has been a fair activity in the Boston wool market this week, probably more than five millions of pounds of wool having been moved. Included in the transactions were half-bloods, staple, Montana, at 22½. Sales of quarter-blood fleece and semi-bright wools have been fairly large with the price unchanged, but firm.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] At the beginning of business today the condition of the United States treasury was: Working balance in treasury offices, $70,720,754. In banks and Philippine treasury, $35,464,352. The total of the general fund was $126,900,122. Receipts yesterday were $2,377,153. With disbursements of $3,360,060. The deficit to date this fiscal year is $23,702,182 as against a deficit of $6,715,284 at this time last year. These figures exclude Panama and public debt transactions.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Butter, firm; creamery specials, 36; extras, 35; firsts, 32@33. Cheese, firm; State whole milk, fall and earlier specials, 16; skims, 13@13¾. Eggs, firmer; fresh gathered extras, 38@41; extra firsts, 35@36; firsts, 33@34; seconds, 29@32; refrigerator seconds, local storage charges paid, 21@22; refrigerator thirds, 18@20¼; do., poor, 14@17; western gathered white, 23@40.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wool, steady; medium grades, combing and clothing, 21@21½; light fine, 15@19; heavy fine, 13@15; tub washed, 27@30.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Close: Wheat, December, 7s, 5¼d; March, 7s, 4⅞d; May, 7s, 3d. Weather, cloudy.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Wheat, track prices: Club, 78@79; blue stem, 84@85; forty-fold, 79@80; red Russian, 77@78; valley, 79@80.

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TURPENTINE AND ROSIN. SAVANNAH QUOTATIONS. [BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SAVANNAH (Ga.) Dec. 15.—Turpentine, firm; receipts, 429; shipments, sales, 260. Rosin, firm. Sales, 240; receipts, stocks, 130,100.

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Close: Prime mercantile paper, cent. Sterling exchange steady, in bankers' bills at 4.86 for sixty days, at 4.88 7-10 for demand. Bar silver, 55⅝. Government bonds steady. Money on call steady. Time loans firm.

Business: Shipping, Mines and Stocks.

WEATHER.

Diego for San Francisco, and, after taking passengers and additional cargo, proceeded.

The steamer William H. Murphy completed the discharge of 750,000 feet of lumber for the Pacific Lumber Company at Wilmington and cleared today for San Francisco in ballast, to go on dry dock for annual inspection. Thence for Eureka, to reload.

The British steamer Gray finished discharging a cargo of fertilizer for the Crescent Wharf and Warehouse Company and cleared today for Victoria, B. C., carrying a cargo of asphalt.

The steamer Centralia arrived this morning, out five days from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco, bringing passengers and freight for the West Coast Steamship Company and 575,000 feet of lumber for the Patten & Davies Lumber Company of Los Angeles.

The passenger and freight steamer Beaver left today on regular schedule for Portland, via San Francisco.

The schooner Meteor completed the discharge of 840,000 feet of lumber for the San Pedro Lumber Company and went to sea today in ballast for Gray's Harbor to reload.

The steamer Nome City is out two days from Astoria for this port, carrying 450,000 feet of lumber, loaded at Westport, and 350,000 feet at Linnton.

The steamer Fort Bragg finished discharging 700,000 feet of lumber and cleared today for Fort Bragg to reload, taking passengers and freight for the West Coast Steamship Company at San Francisco.

Bates & Chesebrough's steamer Tampico, arriving yesterday from Balboa, will complete the discharge of 900 tons of Atlantic freight for Los Angeles consignees and will clear tomorrow for San Francisco with balance of cargo, consigned to the California-Atlantic Steamship Company.

The schooner Defiance has sailed from Gray's Harbor, carrying 725,000 feet of lumber for the E. K. Wood Lumber Company at this port.

The steamer Graywood, arriving out five days from Gray's Harbor, will discharge 850,000 feet of lumber for various consignees.

The steamer Nehalem arrived this morning, out three days from Eureka, carrying 750,000 feet of lumber, consigned to the National Lumber Company at Terminal.

The steamer Raymond finished discharging 500,000 feet of lumber for the National Lumber Company and cleared today for Redondo Beach, carrying 200,000 feet for wholesalers at that port.

After discharging a partial cargo at Redondo Beach, the steamer Chehalis arrived this afternoon from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco, with the remainder.

The steamer Carmel finished discharging 800,000 feet of lumber for the Pico Heights Lumber Company and sailed tonight for Willapa Harbor to load a return cargo.

After leaving a partial cargo of lumber at this port, the steamer Nehalem cleared tonight for Port San Luis to discharge the remainder. Thence for Eureka to reload.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Arrived: Steamers Dispatch, Yale, Coronado, Los Angeles; Governor, San Diego.

Sailed: Steamers Mandalay, Hanalei, Yale, San Diego.

Shares and Money.

IRREGULARITY IN WALL STREET.

DOMINANT FEATURE OF THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

Bullish Manipulation and Realizing for Profits Seem to Have Exhausted the Force of the Market and Professional Operators Are Disposed to Let Matters Drift.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Irregularity was the dominant feature of today's market. Bullish manipulation and realizing for profits seem to have exhausted the force of the market and professional operators were disposed to allow stocks to drift. Trading fell off heavily and the list bore evidence of apathy.

United States Steel was less conspicuous than on recent days and the trading fell off sharply in volume. It was under considerable pressure at times and fell two points under the top price of the day before. Later it rose briskly. Allis-Chalmers preferred fell 1¾ to 6¾ and the 5 per cent. bonds, 1¼, to 49⅞, both new low records.

A heavy gain in cash by the banks was indicated by movements of currency, estimates of the amount running as high as $11,000,000. Bank exchanges for the week again made a substantial comparison with last year's figures, showing a gain of 6 per cent., although compared with 1909, there is a decrease of 13 per cent.

Foreign trade figures for November showed a slight recession, both exports and imports falling somewhat below those of last year. The shrinkage in value of all exports was only $5000, so that there was an actual gain of $15,000,000 in the value of exports other than cotton.

The bond market was irregular with general movements unusually narrow. Total sales, par value, $3,457,000.

United States bonds unchanged on call.

New York Stocks.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15. — [Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices, sales and high and low quotations today:

Sales.		High.	Low.	—Close— Bid.	Ask.
600	Atlantic C. L.	134	133½	133½	134
700	Allis Chalmers	2	1¾	2	2¼
1,000	Allis Chal. pfd.	8¼	6¾	6½	7
24,900	Amalg. Copper	66⅛	64⅝	66⅛	66¼
2,500	Am. Agr. Chem.	60	58½	59⅝	60
......	Am. Agr. C. pfd.	....	....	103	104½
800	Am. Car & Fdy.	54½	54	54¼	54⅝
......	Am. C. & F. pfd.	....	....	116	118
......	Am. Can Co.	....	....	10⅞	11¼
1,600	Am. Can Co. pfd.	90¼	90	90	90¼
2,400	Am. Beet Sugar	55⅝	54⅝	55	55¼
......	Am. B. Sugar pfd.	....	....	98	99½
300	Am. Cotton Oil	44½	44½	44	44⅝
......	Am. Cot. Oil pfd.	....	....	93½	93
100	Am. Ice Securities	19	19	18	19
......	Am. Express	....	....	205	212
......	Am. Hide & L.	....	....	3½	3¾
......	Am. H. & L. pfd.	....	....	21½	23½
......	Am. Linseed	....	....	9⅜	9½
500	Am. Linseed pfd.	31½	30¼	30	31
100	Am. Locomotive	37	37	36⅝	37½
100	Am. Loco. pfd.	104	104	103¼	105
......	Am. Steel Fdy.	....	....	33	39
4,600	Am. S. & R. Co.	74¼	73½	73¼	73⅞
100	Am. S. & R. pfd.	102¼	102¼	102½	102⅞
700	Am. Sugar	115½	115¼	115	115¼
......	Am. Sugar pfd.	....	....	114¼	115½
1,200	Am. Tel. & Tel.	140	139¼	139⅛	140
1,000	Am. Tob. pfd.	103⅞	103⅝	102⅝	103⅞
......	Am. Woolen	....	....	25½	27½
......	Am. Woolen pfd.	....	....	89	89½
5,400	Anaconda	39⅜	39	39⅛	39¼
2,300	A. T. & S. F.	106½	106⅛	106⅜	106½
100	A. T. & S. F. pfd.	103⅞	103⅞	103⅝	104
1,700	Balt. & Ohio	102⅞	102⅝	102½	102⅞
500	B. & O. pfd.	89⅛	89	89	89⅞
100	Bethlehem Steel	29¼	29¼	29¼	30
200	Beth. Steel pfd.	58⅝	58⅝	57	59
2,100	Brooklyn R. T.	77½	76½	77	77⅝
1,700	Canadian Pacific	240⅝	240	240⅛	240⅝
4,100	C. & O.	74⅛	73½	73⅞	74
100	Central Leather	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	21
100	Central L. pfd.	91½	91½	91¼	92
......	Chicago & Alton	....	....	18	28
......	C. & A. pfd.	....	....	35	45
......	C. & G. W.	....	....	19⅝	20
......	C. & G. W. pfd.	....	....	37⅝	37⅞
1,200	C. & N. W.	143⅞	143¼	143⅝	144
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	190	200
2,200	C. M. & St. P.	111⅝	110⅝	111⅛	111¼
600	Do. pfd.	145¼	145	145	146
......	C. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	59½	63
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	95	102
......	Colo. Fuel & Iron	....	....	27½	28⅝
......	C. F. & I. pfd	....	....	106	....
100	Colo. Southern	46⅝	46⅝	46	49
......	Colo. So. 1st pfd.	....	....	76	76⅝
......	Colo. So. 2nd pfd.	....	....	65	75
600	Consolidated Gas	139	138¼	138⅞	139
200	Corn Products	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	11
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	74⅛	76⅛
100	Del. & Hudson	167⅞	167⅞	166	168
......	D. L. & W.	....	....	515	570
700	D. & R. G.	21¼	20½	21	22⅛
400	D. & R. G. pfd.	44⅛	44	44	45
100	Distilling Sec.	31⅝	31½	31⅝	32
......	D. S. S. & A.	....	....	8¼	10
......	D. S. S. & A. pfd.	....	....	17	17⅝
7,900	Erie	32½	31⅞	32½	32⅝
1,500	Erie 1st pfd.	53⅝	52⅝	53⅛	53¼
100	Erie 2nd pfd.	42½	42½	42⅝	43
800	Gen. Electric	155	153⅞	154⅝	155½
1,100	Gt. Northern pfd.	128⅞	128⅜	128⅝	129
1,700	Gt. No. Ore Ctfs.	35½	34⅝	35	35⅛
600	Illinois Central	142	141½	141¼	141⅞
300	Int'l Harv. Co.	107½	107½	107½	107⅞
100	Int'l Harv. pfd.	120¼	120¼	....	120½
......	Int'l Paper	....	....	9⅞	10⅛
......	Int'l Paper pfd.	....	....	46⅝	46½
......	Int'l Pump	....	....	32½	34
......	Int'l Pump pfd.	....	....	82½	83⅝
......	Iowa Central	....	....	16	17
......	Iowa Central pfd.	....	....	31	34
......	K. C. Southern	....	....	28⅝	29⅛
......	K. C. So. pfd.	....	....	64	67
1,000	L. & N.	156	154⅝	155¼	156¼
200	Laclede Gas com.	105	104⅝	104½	106
......	Laclede Gas pfd.	....	....	80	100
......	Manhattan	....	....	133	136
1,500	Inter-Met.	15¼	15	15	15¼
4,500	Inter-Met. pfd.	48⅝	47⅝	48¼	48½
1,000	Mex. Central Ctfs.	33⅞	33	32⅞	34
......	Mex. C. 1st pfd.	....	....	66½	69
......	Mackay	....	....	81½	85
100	Mackay pfd	72	72	71	73
......	Minn. & St. L.	....	....	30	34
......	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	59¼	59⅞
1,300	M. St. P. & S.S.M.	136	134	135¾	136½
......	Do. pfd	....	....	146½	148½
600	M., K. & Texas	29⅝	29⅛	29⅝	30
......	M., K. & T. pfd.	....	....	64½	65½
800	Missouri Pacific	39⅝	39⅛	39½	39⅝
4,000	National Lead	53½	51⅝	53⅛	53½
......	Nat'l Lead pfd.	106⅞	106⅞	106	107
......	Nat'l Biscuit	....	....	138½	139½
......	Nat'l Biscuit pfd.	....	....	127½	128
300	Nevada Con.	19¼	18⅞	19	19¼
......	N. Y. Air Brake	....	....	55	58
800	N. Y. Central	107	106⅝	106⅞	107
......	N. Y. C. & St. L.	....	....	53½	55
......	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	98½	110
......	Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	75	83
400	N. Y., Ont. & W.	39⅛	39	39⅛	39¼
600	Norfolk & W.	109	108⅞	108⅞	108⅞
......	N. & W. pfd.	....	....	90½	91½
......	North American	....	....	72	73
1,000	Northern Pacific	115⅝	115⅛	115½	115⅝
......	Omaha	....	....	137	141
......	Omaha pfd	....	....	150	160
300	Pacific Mail	31	30⅝	31⅛	31⅝
200	Pac. Tel. & Tel.	49	49	49	49½
......	Pac. T. & T. pfd.	....	....	98	100
2,200	Penn. R. R. Co.	122⅞	122⅛	122⅝	122⅞
400	People's Gas	103¼	102⅞	103¼	103⅝
......	Pitts. Coal	....	....	17½	18½
......	Pitts. Coal pfd.	....	....	82	83
500	Pressed Steel Car	33⅛	33⅛	33¼	33⅝
......	P. Steel Car pfd	....	....	100	103
......	Pacific Coast	....	....	94½	105
......	P. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	96½	97½
......	Do. pfd	....	....	105	112
......	Pullman	....	....	157	158
100	Ry. Steel Springs	31⅞	31⅞	30⅞	31⅝
......	Ry. Steel S. pfd.	....	....	100	101
150,300	Reading	154	152	153⅝	153⅝
......	Reading 1st pfd.	....	....	88½	89½
......	Reading 2nd pfd.	....	....	96½	97
500	Republic I. & S.	25	24⅝	25	25⅛
700	R. I. & S. pfd.	83⅛	83⅛	83⅛	83½
1,200	Rock Island	25⅛	24⅝	25	25⅛
700	Rock Island pfd.	46⅝	46⅝	46⅞	47
......	Sloss S. S. & I.	....	....	40	45
......	S. S. S. & I. pfd.	....	....	....	110
......	St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd	....	....	66	68
200	Do. 2nd pfd.	41¼	41	41	41½
......	St. L. & S. W.	....	....	31½	32
......	Do. pfd	....	....	71	72
2,500	Southern Pacific	112⅞	112⅛	112⅝	112⅞
800	Southern Railway	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝	29⅞
......	Southern Ry. pfd.	....	....	71⅛	71⅝
600	Third Ave. Ry.	6⅝	6⅛	6⅝	6⅝
300	Tenn. Copper	37⅝	37⅝	37⅞	38
......	Texas Pacific	....	....	22⅞	23⅛
400	T., St. L. & W.	15⅛	15⅛	14¼	15⅛
......	Do. pfd	....	....	37	38½
......	Twin City R. T.	....	....	104⅛	106
......	U. B. & P. Co.	....	....	4⅛	5½
......	U. B. & P. pfd.	....	....	50	55
27,200	Union Pacific	174⅝	172⅞	174⅝	174⅞
......	U. P. pfd	....	....	92⅛	94
9,800	Utah Copper	53⅝	52⅞	53⅛	53⅜
100	U. R. R. of S. F.	33	33	33	34
300	Do. pfd	60⅝	60⅝	60⅛	61
......	U. S. C. Iron Pipe	....	....	15	15⅛
00	U. S. C. I. P. pfd.	50	49⅝	49½	50
......	U. S. Express	....	....	84	87
100	U. S. Marine Co.	4½	4½	4½	4⅞
100	U. S. Marine pfd.	17	17	17	17½
......	U. S. R. & Cons.	....	....	68¼	69½
......	U. S. R. & R. Co.	....	....	1⅛	3
......	U. S. R. & R. pfd.	....	....	10½	12½
800	U. S. Rubber	47⅝	47½	47⅝	48
100	U. S. R. 1st pfd.	110	110	110	110½
......	U. S. R. 2nd pfd.	....	....	75	76
107,300	U. S. Steel Cor.	67⅞	66	67⅞	68
1,300	U. S. Steel pfd.	111	110⅝	110⅞	111
......	Va. Car. Chem.	....	....	54⅞	55
......	Va. Car. C. pfd.	....	....	118	122
400	Va. Coal & Coke	73	71	71	75
1,700	Wabash	7¼	6⅞	7⅛	7⅝
4,200	Wabash pfd	17⅝	16½	16⅞	17
......	Wells-Fargo Ex.	....	....	147	151
4,000	Western Union	80⅛	79⅞	80	80⅛
1,800	Westinghouse	68	66⅞	67⅝	68
......	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	114	118
......	Western Md. com.	....	....	61⅛	61⅝
......	Western Md. pfd.	....	....	80	83
......	W. & L. E.	....	....	4⅛	5
......	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	10½	12
......	Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	3⅛	6
......	Wisconsin Central	....	....	54	57
700	Goldfield Cons	5	5	4⅝	5
26,100	Lehigh Valley	179⅝	178⅛	179⅛	179⅝
100	Jersey Central	317	315	310	330
4,400	Chino	24⅛	24	24⅛	24⅝
5,300	Ray Cons.	17⅛	16⅞	17⅛	17⅜
7,700	Miami	23	22	22⅝	23
700	N. Y., N. H. & H.	138⅛	138⅛	137	138⅛
......	St.L. & S.F.com.	....	....	26	36

Total sales—504,500 shares.

Money opened at 4 per cent.; highest, 4½ per cent.; lowest, 3½ per cent.; last loan, 3½ per cent.; closed, 3½@3¾ per cent.; ruling rate, 4 per cent.

New York Curb Stocks.

[Special Service to The Times by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members N. Y. Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The mining list was irregular on the curb. The market was quite active at the close, with Giroux the feature, selling up to 4 7-16, from a low of 4 1-16. The outlook for the metal is bright, and the coppers should show substantial gain. It was reported from a good source that Butte Coalition will probably increase its dividend.

There was renewed buying in the Boston market this afternoon, and prices were strong all around. Ray Con. was the principal feature, advancing to 17½, Chino sold at 24¼. Large buying of North Butte sent the stock up to 26¾. Copper Range sold up to 54. The market closed active and full of good buying orders.

Following are the closing bid and asked prices.

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Am. Tob.	525	527	Ely Con.	¼	⅜
Braden Cop.	5½	5⅝	Mason Val.	11⅝	11⅝
British Col.	4½	4⅝	Nev. Hills	2 5-16	2⅜
Butte Coal.	19½	20	Live Oak	36⅝	37⅛
Chi. Sub.	¼	½	Nev. Utah	⅛	3-16
Ariz. & M.	7	15	S. Utah	⅜	7-16
Con. Ariz.	½	⅝	Keystone	2⅜	2⅛
Dolores	3	4	Iron Blos.	98	102
Davis Daly	⅝	⅞	Colorado	28	30
El Rayo	2	3	Sioux Con.	11	13
Bohemia	2⅜	2⅝	Belmont	7⅝	8⅛
First Nat.	1⅝	2⅛	Fraction	13	15
Giroux	4⅜	4½	Majestic	39	40
Gifd. Daisy	11	15	Jumbo Ex.	22	23
Florence	68	72	Tuolumne	3¼	3½
Greene Can.	8¼	8⅝	W. Pac.	13	14⅝
Guggen.	178	182	W. Pac. 5s.	89	90
Inspiration	10⅜	10¼	McK. Dar.	1⅝	1 11-16
I. C. Rub.	18⅝	19⅛	Tonopah	6⅞	7⅛
Kerr Lake	2⅝	2⅜	Nev. Doug.	2⅝	3
La Rose	4	4 1-16	Gifd. Bel.	58	63
Bos. Ely	90	95	W. P. com.	30	31⅛
Mine of A.	3⅝	4⅛	W. P. Pr.	57	59
Mont. Shos.	2	6	Pac. Gas & E. com.	45½	46½
Nipissing	7¼	7⅝			
Ohio Cop.	15-16	1	Pac. Gas & E. pfd.	88¼	89¼
Ray Cent.	2	2 1-16			
Calaveras	1	1⅛	Power 5s.	83⅛	83⅞
San Toy	42	43	Doble	⅝	1
Cactus	19	21	Hollinger	14⅝	14⅝
Corb'n	2⅞	3	Stewart	75	85
Stand. Oil	630	665	Man.	1⅜	1½
Sup. & Pgh.	15	20	Wett.	87	89
Tribullion	5-16	7-16	W. End	78	80
Un. Cop.	2	2⅛	Wool.	80⅛	81⅛
U. Cop. Pr.	7	14	Do. pfd.	108½	109
Chemung	5	7	El Paso	65	70
Yukon	3⅜	3½			

New York Bond List.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15. — [Exclusive to The Times.] Following were closing quotations on the bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Tel. & Tel. Conv. 4s	109	110
American Tobacco 4s	97½	97⅞
American Tobacco 6s	117½	118
Atchison Gen. 4s	99¼	99½
Atchison Conv. 4s	106¼	108
Atchison Adj. 4s, stamped	91	91½
Atchison Conv. 5s	108¼	108½
Atlantic Coast Line Con. 4s	95	95½
Atl. C. L. (L. & N. Coll.) 4s	94	94⅞
Balt. & Ohio 3½s	91⅝	92
Balt. & Ohio 4s	98	98⅛
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s	83½	84
Can. So. 1st 5s, Ext.	101½	101⅞
C. & O. 4½s	101⅝	101⅞
C. B. & Q. Joint 4s	96⅛	96⅞
C. B. & Q., Ill., 4s	99⅞	100
C. B. & Q. General 4s	96⅛	96⅛
Central Pacific 1st 4s	96⅝	96⅞
Chicago & E. Ill. 4s	....	80½
C., R. I. & P. Ref. 4s	89	89½
C., R. I. & P. Col. Trust 4s	73½	72⅞
Colo. & So. 1st 4s	96⅛	97
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	89⅞	90½
Del. & Hudson Conv. 4s	97⅞	97⅞
Erie 1st Con. P. L. 4s	88	89
Inter-Met. 4½s	79½	79⅞
Japanese 4s	85	88
Japanese 1st 4½s	92¼	92½
Japanese 2nd 4½s	91½	91⅝
L. & N. Uni. 4s	99⅛	99½
M., K. & T. 4½s	88	88⅞
Missouri Pacific 4s	72⅝	73½
N. Y. Central 3½s	87½	88
N. Y. Central L. S. 3½s	78⅞	79
N. Y. Central 4s	93⅞	94
N. Y. City 4½s of 1957	107½	107⅞
Norfolk & Western 4s	....	98½
N. & W. Conv. 4s	107½	108
N. Y., Ont. & W. 4s	94⅛	94⅞
Northern Pacific P. L. 4s	79⅝	79⅞
Northern Pacific 3s	69⅛	69⅞
Oregon Short Line 4s	94	94⅝
Oregon Ry. & Nav. 4s	95	95⅞
Pennsylvania Ry. 4s of 1948	102½	102⅞
Philippine Ry. 4s	....	84
Reading Gen. 4s	98	98⅛
Republic of Cuba 5s	102¼	103
Southern Pacific 1st Ref. 4s	94⅛	95
Southern Pacific Col. 4s	91⅝	92
Southern Railway 4s	79	79⅛
St. L. & S. F. Ref. 4s	79⅝	80⅛
Union Pacific 1st 4s	101	101¼
Union Pacific Conv. 4s	102⅝	103⅞
Union Pacific Ref. 4s	97⅛	98
U. S. Steel S. F. 5s	101⅞	101⅞
United States 2s reg	100	100⅛
United States 2s coup	100	100⅝
United States 3s reg	101½	102⅛
United States 3s coup	101½	102⅛
United States 4s reg	113⅝	113⅞
United States 4s coup	113⅛	114⅛
U. R. R. of S. F. 4s	68	69⅛
U. R. R. of St. L. 4s	77¼	80
Wabash 1st 4s	50⅝	51
Western Union 4½s	97	97⅝
Westinghouse Conv. 5s	92¼	93
Western Pacific 5s	89½	90
Wisconsin Central 4s	92⅞	93
West Shore 4s	101	101½

STATE OF TRADE.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—R. G. Dun & Company's Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

"The betterment in industrial and trade conditions, signs of which have been visible to close observers for two months, has now become plain to all, and now is reflected by the expansion in bank clearings and railroad earnings, the big uplift in the iron and steel trade, the advance in copper, the increased activity in dry goods, the brisker demand for money, and in the confidence inspired by the record-breaking cotton crop of upwards of 15,000,000 bales. Business men are disposed to move ahead and the situation as the year draws to a close is so much more encouraging as to be the most conspicuous development of the year. The holiday trade is notably active in all the large cities. The retail activity, coupled with the unusually warm weather and the end of the year accounting, operates to make wholesale operations slower, but there has been no real check to the expansion in business. The outlook for the new year is exceedingly promising. In the dry goods trade the most notable development is the betterment in woolens and worsteds. Silks also are stronger. Leather is dull, but prices are firm. Hides are weak. Each week serves to emphasize the pronounced betterment in iron and steel. Operations in mills and furnaces are on an enlarged scale and several plants now idle will start again after the close of this month. The November statement of the United States Steel Corporation was particularly favorable. Prices are strengthening slightly. Following the heavy decrease in copper stocks last month, quotations have advanced within a fraction of 14 cents."

Bradstreet's Report.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"Two features stand out prominently is the week's news: Admittedly active holiday trade in most leading places and the undeniably better undertone in iron and steel, price advances being significance in finished steel. On the other hand, trade in other lines has receded a little. In fact, a general survey indicates that the weather has been too mild for a free distribution of seasonable goods at retail, while jobbing trade has been confined mainly to filling in orders for fancy articles suitable to holiday requirements. Incidentally, clearance sales of staple goods at retail are being pressed at an earlier date than usual. Business failures in the United States for the week ending December 14, were 306, against 267 last week, 290 in the like week of 1910, 273 in 1909, 311 in 1908, and 300 in 1907. Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending December 14, aggregate 3,157,733 bushels, against 3,391,582 last week. For the twenty-four weeks ending December 14, exports are 77,283,756 bushels, against 56,120,187 in the corresponding period last year. Corn exports for the week are 390,657 bushels against 76,006 last week. For the twenty-four weeks ending December 14, corn exports are 11,604,070 bushels, against 8,856,003 last year."

Bradstreet's Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15. — [By A. P. Night Wire.] Bradstreet's Bank Clearings Report for the week ending December 14 shows an aggregate of $3,219,609,000, as against $2,713,860,000 last week and $3,039,282,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the principal cities:

	Amount.	Per ct. Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,842,073,000	6.2	....
Chicago	297,009,000	8.9	....
Boston	167,162,000	6.9	....
Philadelphia	145,443,000	1.9	....
St. Louis	82,963,000	6.3	....
Kansas City	54,966,000	1.9	....
San Francisco	52,707,000	8.9	....
Pittsburgh	45,217,000	....	4.4
Baltimore	37,210,000	2.6	....
Cincinnati	28,039,000	9.4	....
Minneapolis	27,046,000	13.5	....
Cleveland	25,135,000	....	0.8
Detroit	21,000,000	5.6	....
LOS ANGELES	20,701,000	18.7	....
New Orleans	20,062,000	5.8	....
Buffalo	18,098,000	13.6	....
Omaha	15,413,000	0.2	....
Milwaukee	15,117,000	3.4	....
Louisville	*14,694,000	....	.96
Seattle	11,880,000	4.4	....
Portland, Or.	11,603,000	8.6	....
Indianapolis	10,653,000	8.7	....
St. Paul	10,115,000	....	23.9
Salt Lake City	9,543,000	31.8	....
Denver	9,355,000	....	6.3
Atlanta	9,355,000	....	6.3
Spokane, Wash.	4,566,000	....	5.4
Tacoma	4,549,000	....	0.2

SALT LAKE MINES.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SALT LAKE, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices on the leading mining stocks listed here:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Beck Tun.	15½	16½	New York	6	6⅝
Black Jack	9	10½	Mtn. Lake	2½	—
Cedar T.	2½	3	Ohio Cop.	100	102½
Colorado	25	26½	Nev. Hills	230	—
Col. Cons.	15	23	Seven T.	3½	4
C. Point	4	4½	S. King	150	170
Daly Judge	500	520	Sioux Cons.	11	13
Grand Cent.	63	64	Swansea	5	5½
Iron Blos.	96	98	Uncle Sam	22	22½
Lower M.	2½	3	Victoria	48	51
May Day	11½	12	Victor	5	—
Mason Val.	1100	1175	Yankee	25	28

THE COPPER INDUSTRY.

[Special Service to The Times by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members N. Y. Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

We understand that the International Smelting and Refining Company has experienced a very good year during 1911 and that the company will show earnings at least equal, if not somewhat in excess of those of 1910. Preliminary figures indicate total earnings will be at least $1,200,00, which, after allowing for depreciation would leave a net profit of more than $1,000,000. During 1911 business has been about the same as that of 1910, with probably a slight increase. The company's principal income is derived from the Raritan Copper Works. The production from this plant, it is estimated, will amount to in the neighborhood of 300,000,000 pounds compared with a figure of approximately 275,000,000 pounds in 1910. At the works good progress has been made on the enlarging of the copper refinery. The plant is being increased from its original capacity of 25,000,000 pounds of copper per month to 33,000,000 pounds or to an ultimate capacity of 400,000,000 pounds of copper per annum. In addition to this, the company contemplates the erection of a lead refinery for which plans are now being made.

In the spring of 1911 the International Smelting and Refining Company decided to enter a lead smelting business, and the erection of two furnaces of 250 tons each were begun at the Tooele plant. Owing to the numerous contracts which were made last summer, it was decided to add a third furnace, giving to this plant a total capacity of 750 tons a day. Excellent progress has been made on this new construction, and it is expected that two furnaces will be blown in shortly after the first of the year. The company has been fortunate in securing lead contracts for the entire capacity of this plant.

During the year good results were obtained at the copper smelter at Tooele, and considerable custom business was handled and new contracts booked. The plant is at present treating 750 tons of copper ore per day. The ultimate capacity is 1200 tons. Net earnings for the International Smelting and Refining Company of more than $1,000,000 represent over 10 per cent. on the outstanding capital stock. The company is on an 8 per cent. dividend basis per annum, dividends calling for disbursements of $800,000.

We get very definite information that in January the directors of the Greene-Cananea Company will inaugurate dividends at the rate of 50 cents per share per annum. Previous reports were that the rate would be 40 cents. Some large interests in the company believe that the stock should sell at $10 with the stock on a 50-cent basis, especially in view of the improved metal market conditions. Greene-Cananea must be earning at the rate of 75 cents per share on present metal market conditions.

General Manager Jules La Barthe wires: "First train of custom ore from the Nevada Douglas property has been received at the Mason Valley smelter, and everything points to the early start of smelting operations."

The Mason Valley Company enters the producing ranks with its 800-ton smelter paid for and a substantial working capital, and is in a position to produce 1,000,000 pounds of copper per month from its own ores independent of custom ore. It has 154,000 shares of stock and $1,000,000 of 6 per cent. bonds convertible into stock at 10, so that as a completed proposition and bonds converted it will have 254,000 shares of stock upon which it should be able to earn on Mason Valley ores alone $1.50 per share on 13-cent copper when operating full capacity, and in addition thereto it should make substantial earnings from custom ores.

With the close of Lake Navigation there are about 400 tons of copper left at the Lake and the smelters have orders to make this in special shapes for manufacturers instead of ingot bars which are the forms for general trade. One smelter has an order for 1,000,000 pounds in wire bars.

The copper market yesterday, for the first time in a week, presented a more nearly normal aspect. London's advance on the first cable of thirteen shillings supported Thursday's advance in prices here and practically all of the important sellers including the United Metals Selling Company, are at 14 cents. Calumet and Hecla sold copper abroad at 14⅛ cents a pound delivered. There is still some metal to be had at prices ranging from 13⅞ to 14 cents a pound electrolytic thirty days, but the demand indicates that this will soon be cleaned up and the week will close with all sellers firm at 14 cents.

Boston Copper Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Dec. 15.—The coppers have had a hard time for three years and are just coming into their own. We look for higher prices all through the copper list and advise speculative and investment purchases at the present levels.

Following were closing quotations on the Boston Stock Exchange:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Arcadian	3½	3⅝	Giroux	4⅜	4 7-16
Davis Daly	82	85	Greene Can.	8⅛	8¼
Cons. Mer.	—	5	Helvetia	1⅜	1½
Copper R.	53⅝	54	Hancock	26	26½
Cal. & H.	420	422	Isle Royale	22	22¼
Cal. & A.	60	60⅝	Kew. Cop.	75	85
Ariz. Com.	20	30	Lake Cop.	35½	36
Bos. Ely	92	98	La Salle	5⅝	6
Daly West	5⅝	6	Majestic	39	40
Tuolumne	3⅜	3 9-16	Miami	22⅝	23¼
Ahmeek	210	220	Mohawk	48	49
Adventure	5	5½	Michigan	2	2½
Ojibway	5	5½	Mass. Cop.	7¼	7⅜
Raven	24	26	Mayflower	2¼	2⅜
Newhouse	12	14	N. Butte	26	26¼
Con. Ariz.	55	60	Nev. Cons.	19	19¼
Ray Cons.	17⅛	17½	Nipissing	7¼	7⅜
First Nat.	1 15-16	2	Osceola	101½	102
Franklin	10¼	10½	Old Dom.	47	48
Granby	33	33½	Chino	24⅜	24½
Begole	1½	2	Gifd. Cons.	4⅞	5
Bohemia	2½	2⅝	Indiana	12¼	12⅝
E. Butte	12½	12⅝	Algomah	4⅞	5
Elm River	15	20	Inspiration	10⅜	10½
McKinley	1⅝	1 11-16	Old Colony	2⅜	2⅝
Kerr Lake	2⅝	2⅞	Parrott	11⅝	12½
Live Oak	36⅝	37⅛	Quincy	69	70
Wyandotte	1⅜	1⅞	Santa Fe	1¼	1½
Zinc	25⅜	26¼	Shannon	10	10¼
Un. Fruit	184	184½	Sup. & Bos.	4	4¼
Shoe Mach.	45	45¼	Sup. Cop.	30¼	30⅝
Do. pfd.	28	28¼	Tamarack	28	28½
Am. Pneu.	4½	4⅝	Trinity	4⅞	5⅛
Do. pfd.	16	16¼	Utah Cop.	53¼	53½
Leaf	2	3	Utah Cons.	17¼	17½
Mass. Elec.	22	22¼	U. S. M. & S. com.	35⅝	36¼
Do. pfd.	94	94½			
Mass. Gas	89⅝	90	U. S. M. & S. pfd.	49	49¼
Do. pfd.	—	95			
Merg'thaler	—	221	Victoria	2⅝	3
B. S. Gas	25	26	Winona	5¼	5⅞
Centennial	13	13¼	Wolverine	93	95
Butte Coal	19⅝	19⅞	N. Lake	6⅝	7
Arnold	—	1	Ohio	1	1 1-16
Allouez	38	39	S. Lake	6	6½
Baltic	4⅞	5¼	Ray Cent.	2	2 1-16
Ill. Creek	43¼	43⅝	*Swift	99½	100
Do. pfd.	85½	86½	Shattuck	19	19⅝
			Yukon	3⅜	3⅝
			Chemung	5	7
Nev. Doug.	2 9-16	3	Corbin	1	1¼
Black Mtn.	4	5	Ely Con.	34	38
Cactus	19	21	Hoton	5	5⅝
Chief Cons.	54	56			

*—Ex-dividend.

New York Cotton Market.

[Special Service to The Times by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members N. Y. Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The cotton market was much the same today as during the three preceding days. The same influence appeared to be at work endeavoring to further advance prices. Week end figures were bullish and many are now of the opinion that bottom prices for the season have been reached and those who have profits on the short side to make, continue to buy for cover. Southern spot markets continue slow at most unchanged prices with about the only demand for the purpose of filling short December engagements, but until futures in this market advance to a basis where cotton can be profitably shipped from the south and delivered on contracts, spot conditions can have little bearing on the situation. Under the circumstances we would sell on sharp rallies only.

Logan & Bryan's letter says:

"Market opened strong two to six points higher, disregarding the cables which were not as good as due and held the advance until notices against December weakened that month, causing a break of 15 points from the opening and other months followed the decline to the extent of seven to ten points, but late in the session shorts turned buyers again rallying prices to the highest of the day. While the movement of the crop continues on a large scale, insight for the week 626,000 bales against 545,000 last year, the relatively cheap prices are inducing heavy takings by spinners, during past week 431,000 against 323,000 last year. It is needless to say that if spinners continue to absorb the cotton, and in doing so they give notice that prices in their opinion, discount the crop, sellers for future delivery are over discounting the situation."

Following is range of quotations today:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	—Close— Bid.	Ask.
January	8.79	8.83	8.71	8.79	8.81
February	....	....	....	8.83	8.85
March	8.92	8.96	8.83	8.92	8.93
April	....	....	....	8.95	8.97
May	9.04	9.08	8.94	9.05	9.06
June	....	....	....	9.09	9.11
July	9.11	9.18	9.05	9.15	9.16
August	....	....	....	9.18	9.20
September	9.20	9.20	9.18	9.19	9.20
October	9.20	9.26	9.13	9.24	9.25
November	....	9.22	9.20	9.26	9.29
December	9.25	9.25	9.10	9.17	9.19

Market steady. Spots—9.45.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Standard Copper—Steady; spot, 13.45@13.60; December, 13.50@13.65; January, 13.55@13.75; February, 13.50@13.70; March, 13.55@13.75; April, 13.55@13.75. London—Easy; spot, £61 12s 3d; futures, £62 8s 9d. Customhouse returns, shows exports of 15,244 tons so far this month. Lake copper, 13⅞@14¼; electrolytic, 13⅝@14, and casting, 13½@13⅝. Tin—Steady; spot, 43.75@44.25; December, 43.60@44.25; January, 43.25@43.62½; February, 42.00@42.50; March, 41.75@42.25; April, 41.50@42.00. London—Firm; spot, £196 10s; futures, £191 15s. Lead—Quiet, 4.40@4.50 New York; 4.30@4.37½ East St. Louis. London—£15 10s. Spelter—Quiet, 6.25@6.35 New York; 6.00@6.20 East St. Louis. London—£26 17s 6d. Antimony, Cookson's, 7.75. Iron—Cleveland warrants, 49s 9d in London. Locally iron was steady; No. 1 foundry, 14.75@15.00; No. 2, 14.50@14.65; No. 1 southern and No. 1 southern soft, 14.25@14.75.

California Dried Fruit.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Evaporated Apples—Inactive; spot, fancy, 10¼@10½; choice, 9@9¾; prime, 8⅝@9⅛. Prunes—Firm; quotations range from 5½@11 for Californias up to 40-50s, and from 10¼@12 for Oregons. Apricots—Dull; choice, 15@15½; extra choice, 16@16½; fancy, 17@18. Peaches—Steady; choice, 11¼@11½; extra choice, 11¾@12; fancy, 12½@12¾. Raisins—Steady; loose Muscatels, 6@7; choice to fancy seeded, 7½@8¼; seedless, 6@7; London layers, 1.40@1.45.

PROSPECTOR IS INJURED.

Escapes Alaska's Rigors to Fall Victim of Street Car Accident in Sunny South.

P. Q. Noble, an elderly man, who is one of the pioneer prospectors and miners of Alaska, is hovering between life and death at the County Hospital from the effects of a fractured skull. He was knocked down by a street car near the intersection of Second and San Pedro streets, about 7 o'clock Thursday night. The car fender prevented him from being crushed to death.

Noble lives at No. 3040 Robinson avenue, San Diego. He has a brother, William Noble, who lives at No. 701 West Thirty-second street, this city. He has Alaskan mining property of value. Among his personal effects is a letter signed by Vice-President Lipman of the Guggenheim Exploration Company. Its text shows that Noble has taken up with the Guggenheim interests the matter of their developing some of his holdings.

TWO WEEKS TO BRACE UP.

Former Police Secretary Given Another Chance to Climb on the Water Wagon.

Cyrus W. Chapin, the deposed executive secretary of the police department, was released on two weeks' parole when before the lunacy commission at the County Hospital yesterday. Chapin made a strong plea for his liberty and asked for another chance to "brace up." Judge Hutton, the presiding officer, stated that he did not believe him insane and placed him in the custody of his family and attorney. Should he violate his parole by drinking liquors he will immediately be sent to Patton.

Chapin, while Police Secretary, was in the Hayward Cafe in an intoxicated condition and held a conference with labor-union officials last Thanksgiving Day, and was summarily dismissed from the department for the good of the service by the Police Commission the following morning.

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WEIGHT BRUISES ARM.

J. H. Burgoon, aged 42, a painter who lives at No. 130 East Seventy-first street, sustained a severe contusion of the right arm while working in the elevator shaft of the New Broadway Hotel, No. 207 North Broadway, yesterday morning. Those who saw the accident say the man was fortunate in not having lost his arm. The member was caught in the slide where the elevator weight runs while he was painting in the shaft. Burgoon's arm was bruised and lacerated from the shoulder to the tips of his fingers. After being treated at the Receiving Hospital, Burgoon was sent to his home.

Pike's Vacation Trip.

Charles D. Pike, city passenger agent of the Salt Lake, will leave today for a thirty-day business and pleasure trip in the East. He will visit Boston and other New England points and New York.

Traffic Men's Excursion.

The Los Angeles Traffic Association will go on an excursion to San Diego in February in company with the members of a similar organization at Salt Lake

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The Dynamiters.

SENSATION IS IN THE WIND.

Believed That Government Has Clinching Facts.

Further Confessions of the McNamaras Not Asked.

Lawler May Go to Capital to See the President.

Because of grave issues involved in the local investigation of the gigantic dynamite conspiracy, in which a number of labor leaders are supposedly involved, it is believed that Oscar Lawler, former assistant Attorney-General of the United States, and now in charge of the Federal investigation here, will go to Washington to confer with President Taft and Atty.-Gen. Wickersham.

This move, it is believed, has come about from some unexpected testimony. It has been known for several days that a number of witnesses who had never appeared in the investigation by the county have been before the Federal grand jury. Their evidence is sealed from any outside the juryroom, but from semi-official sources it was learned yesterday that some startling developments have come in the case. It is believed that the so-called "California end" is more closely related to the Indianapolis investigation than was thought possible a week ago.

It is expected that Lawler will go to Washington and from there to Indianapolis, where he may be asked to aid in the inquiry now directed by the United States authorities towards the highest officers of the national labor-union organizations.

According to information gleaned from outside sources, it is conjectured that the grand jury will withhold any indictments until the Attorney-General can scan the testimony and reach a decision as to whether the investigation shall proceed further or merely stop at the indictment of certain labor-union officers who aided McNamara, Caplan and Schmidt in the transportation of dynamite to and from railroad stations and other points.

SENSATIONAL TESTIMONY.

Sensational testimony against one prominent labor-union leader has also been secured, it is believed, that may throw still further light on the identification of the men who sent McNamara to Los Angeles to blow up the Times Building. It was persistently reported at the government building yesterday that some new testimony had been obtained that will make any further confession of the McNamaras absolutely useless. If it later develops that even the legal defense of the McNamaras was partially planned long before October 1, 1910, there will be a tremendous step taken in getting details of the horrible dynamiting plot that resulted in the murder of twenty innocent workingmen.

Yesterday's morning session was spent in going over some of the testimony of possible witnesses. Lawler has greatly expedited the investigation by weeding out all unnecessary testimony that does not throw light on the facts relating to illegal transportation of dynamite and evidences of the conspiracy.

There will be no session today, and there will be only a few persons to examine when the grand jury reconvenes at 10 o'clock Monday morning. When the testimony is all in there is no immediate prospect of indictments being returned, as it appears from eastern dispatches that the Department of Justice aims to strike all those indicted at one time. Not more than six indictments are expected here, and while no authentic information has been secured, it is believed the names of those who are most liable to be indicted have been printed more than once in connection with the arrest of the two McNamaras.

Most of the witnesses who appeared before the grand jury yesterday gave testimony that was of little value as tending to show the dynamite conspiracy. The witnesses who had previously given their testimony were paid off and left for home.

KEEPING SECRETS.

Al Sittel, chief deputy and acting United States Marshal in the absence of Marshal Youngworth, stated that he has plenty of money with which to pay mileage fees and the $3 a day allowed in the Federal cases. He has paid out so far more than $3000 and still has a balance of more than $1000 His office was a busy one yesterday. Besides Sittel, Deputy White aided in paying the witnesses and checking up. The names were withheld. Orders came direct from the Department of Justice to refuse any information concerning witnesses.

One reason is the evident anxiety of labor-union representatives to get in touch with a number of new witnesses who did not appear before the county grand jury last summer. Of course the general nature of the evidence introduced at that time is well known, but the government has been adding at intervals a lot of witnesses whose names have not appeared in print.

For the purpose of protecting these strangers from annoyance and possible violence, Special Prosecutor Lawler has carefully guarded their identity. Their names will never be disclosed unless they should be called upon to testify in some subsequent trial which would follow as a matter of course should indictments be returned.

Mrs. Belle Levin, who knew M. A. Schmidt in San Francisco, passed all the day in the room reserved for witnesses. She was not called before the grand jury. She may throw some light on the movements of Schmidt and Caplan, but her acquaintance with McNamara is not of great value at this time. She would have been an important witness had J. B. McNamara stood trial instead of pleading guilty to a charge of murder by means of exploding dynamite.

Jack Lofthouse, who is supposed to be well acquainted with labor-union leaders in San Francisco, was at the government building yesterday, but was not called to testify. He appeared nervous and ill at ease. He appears to be a keen, shrewd young man, who intends to tell just what he thinks necessary and no more. It is said he accompanied McNamara and the others to the home of Antone Johannsen on more than one occasion. He said yesterday that he had no information that would help the government.

Among the witnesses called into the jury room were Detectives Tom Ryan and Burke. These officers were present when the dynamite was found in the Nineteenth-avenue house in the Mission district, San Francisco, which had been used by McNamara, Caplan and Schmidt to store their explosives.

Waiting for Gun.

MOTORCYCLISTS AWAIT STARTER.

BIG MEET PLANNED FOR ASCOT PARK TOMORROW.

De Rosier Turns Mile Close to World Record and Balke and Graves Are in Shape for Speed Fest Which Should Be Great Drawing Card.

Ascot Park came to life yesterday afternoon. Nearly twenty riders of racing motorcycles made the famous oval hum for several hours. Morton Graves, the Los Angeles boy, who is looked on as the greatest dirt track rider in the world, showed Jake De Rosier and "Fearless" Charlie Balke, who were alongside the track, a mile faster than either motorcycle or automobile had ever traveled over the track. Graves, using his new machine which arrived only yesterday, clipped off a mile in 49 2-5 seconds.

His two rivals were holding watches on him and both agreed that it is up to them to get the limit of speed out of their machines.

The big motorcycle race meet scheduled for tomorrow afternoon at Ascot is creating a lot of interest in motor circles. The meeting of Graves, De Rosier and Balke after almost a year's absence from the city is going to prove a powerful magnet. There are already twenty-two entries in the different races.

Erwin Knappe, Ray Peck, H. H. Verrill and C. E. Peavy, trade riders have all shown miles close to fifty-one seconds during the past few days. The track will be closed at 5 o'clock this afternoon and will be scraped and given a final grooming before the races tomorrow afternoon.

Says He Won't Testify.

MUNSEY NOW DEFIES THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

J. E. MUNSEY, the Salt Lake City labor-union boss, declared in this city late last night that if the power of the United States government forces him into the grand jury room, he will refuse to give any testimony upon the ground that such testimony might incriminate him. A few days ago Munsey had a long conference with Special Prosecutor Lawler, and it was announced then that he was ready to tell whatever he knows about the case. Now he insists that he will not testify.

"I have made no confession," declared Munsey last night. "I have not confessed anything. I am not going to testify before the United States grand jury.

"I am going to stand upon my rights, and I will declare that testimony that I might be asked to give would tend to incriminate me and will refuse to answer questions.

"They may indict me, but they can't make me testify. It is possible that I will be adjudged in contempt of court, but I can stand for that. I have nothing to tell and I will not testify."

It was reported that J. B. McNamara and M. F. Schmidt spent some time with Munsey in Salt Lake City after the Times Building dynamiting. Munsey is secretary of the Structural Iron and Bridge Workers' Union of Salt Lake City. He is here with his wife and Arthur Goodrich, a small boy, and all are under subpoena to testify before the grand jury. Munsey is the first of the labor-union leaders to put in an appearance here.

Compromise.

PLUMBERS' ASSOCIATION MAY ESCAPE PROSECUTION.

LOS ANGELES plumbers, who were among the first to be investigated by the government on suspicion that they were members of the so-called "plumbers' trust," which had for its purpose the boosting of prices, were informed last night that they will probably escape criminal prosecution at the hands of the government.

According to dispatches from Washington the government officials are willing to enter into a compromise agreement with the firms which are members of the trust. All that the government demands of them is that they dissolve their organization, the Pacific Coast Plumbers' Association. If the plumbers will agree to allow the government to enter a civil suit for a dissolution of the organization upon terms outlined by the Federal authorities, there will be no criminal prosecution of the members of the association.

It was said last night that the plumbing firms under investigation will agree to this compromise. The officials of the Pacific Coast Plumbers' Association are now considering the government's offer, and it is said that they look with favor upon the plan. If the offer of the government is accepted the grand jury investigation into the affairs of the trust will be brought to a close.

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(Second Floor)

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Smoking Jackets, $3.98, $5, $6.50, $7.50, $8.50 and $10.

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

(Continued from Second Page.)

in Judge Conley's court yesterday in a motion for non-suit in the action of William B. Colbridge against the Los Angeles Railway before he discovered that the witnesses in another action had been summoned. The case was continued.

UNDER NEW ACT. Miss Lupe Warner, employed by the Diamond Laundry Company, asks $25,000 for the loss of four fingers. In her complaint filed yesterday she states that the rollers through which she was ordered to run light underwear were not properly equipped and for that reason two fingers were burned off and two so severely crushed that it was necessary to amputate them.

JAIL FOR HIM. T. Del, who pleaded guilty to having robbed a countryman, asked for probation and received one year in San Quentin in Judge McCormick's court yesterday.

HEAVY SENTENCE. C. P. Barnett will exchange twenty-five years of his life to be passed in Folsom for goods he stole, valued at $550. He was sentenced by Judge Willis yesterday. His victim was Henry F. Fink, whose room he robbed.

DATE OF APPEAL. The appeal of Beatrice Anita Baldwin, who is fighting for a share of the estate of the late E. J. (Lucky) Baldwin, asserting that she is his daughter, will be argued before the Supreme Court in San Francisco January 16. The Superior Court found against Miss Baldwin in the hard-fought trial.

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IN THE INFERIOR COURTS.

Joy-rider Who Takes Automobile and Wrecks It Sets Up Plea He Didn't Mean to Steal Machine.

Police Judge Frederickson will decide this morning whether Arthur Simms, colored, should have been charged with a misdemeanor or a felony in the stealing of D. W. Harvey's automobile October 28, from in front of the arena at Vernon.

Simms asserts that Harvey left him in charge of the machine while he went in to see a prize fight. The colored man invited some of his friends to take a joy-ride. They came to grief against a palm on Ninth street.

Simms was charged with grand larceny. He sought a defense behind Section No. 499 B of the Penal Code, enacted in 1905. It holds that any person who takes any vehicle for a limited time without the owner's consent, is guilty of a misdemeanor. Simms, in court yesterday, declared he did not intend to keep the Harvey auto, but was unable to return it because it became disabled.

Mother's Savings Go.

A handful of nickels, dimes and quarters, representing her savings of months, was brought into Justice Rose's department of the Police Court yesterday morning by Mrs. Reyes to liquidate the $10 fine imposed upon her son, F. Reyes, who had been convicted of having played a lottery at No. 512 South Los Angeles street.

Reside Reyes, who is a Mexican, two Chinese, a Japanese and three white men were arrested. George Wing conducted the game and was fined $25. Lee Chung, who has been arrested on a similar charge a number of times, was fined $50. The others escaped with $10 penalties. The game was raided Thursday night.

Bets on Pool?

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